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DUFF RAIL HEARING CLOSES AT AUSTIN

C. N. Ellis Named County Court Judge

SHORT STORIES

Facts With Frills, Facetious And Otherwise By "S. S."

Leap year day.

Leap year dance at the Gulf club tonight.

It's Judge C. N. Ellis of county court at law now.

U. S. S. Brazos, with its crew of blue jackets, sailed today.

DAILY SHIP SCORE: In Port Arthur, 10, at Beaumont, 4.

Another "T" line ship, the Sunelseco, due in Port Arthur tomorrow.

Captain Eddy thinking of naming his flivver Teapot Dome. "Scandal the way it uses oil," sezee.

The man mowing C. P. Gunn's lawn Thursday was Henry Ford, S. S. is informed by C. P. himself.

Jim Brannen, of the city water office, admitted "jay walking" while crossing Austin avenue this a. m.

Rev. T. Alvis Davis sighted a-top his house on Fifth street Thursday p. m. fixing a tin cover on the chimney.

Willard Imhoff inspected a broken plate glass pane shipped to the new Weller building on Fifth street this a. m.

Hefty schooner docked at the Texas Company's terminals. It's the Blakely with a net tonnage of 1731 tons.

Impromptu Scouting council staged on the Austin-Fifth corner this a. m. by Captain David W. Eddy, Scout Executive, and Emmett Lacy.

R. P. Smith, tow boat company man, bought the motor boat Otter for $800 at the auction sale held on the federal building steps Thursday p. m.

Edgar Hill, remembered among old-timers at the city hall as "Sam" Hill, returns to Port Arthur to make his home here after an absence of three years.

Phone Boss J. W. Waltrip and City Dad Ben Wiley confabbed on Procter this a. m. in front of a florists shop. "We didn't say it with flowers, though," Waltrip avers.

Little Mr. William Harrel Seay, weight six pounds, is laying claims to being Port Arthur's first leap year baby. He arrived at Mary Gates hospital at 8:20 a. m. today, and will be at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Seay, of Griffing.

Hike to Bland's Bend and a weiner roast there is set for Boy Scouts of Troop 16 for 6:30 p. m. today. The Scouts, with invited guests, will gather at Stilwell boulevard and Fifth street at 6 o'clock this afternoon, E. R. Clements, scoutmaster, said today.

Little Miss Collins, weight seven pounds, will be four years old before she celebrates her next birthday. She arrived at 9.40 a. m. today in Mary Gates hospital, Port Arthur's second leap year baby, and will be at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Collins, 2345 Eleventh street.

Twenty-Niners

WASHINGTON—Leap years extra day brought Rear Admiral Colby M. Chester, retired, one of his few birthdays today. Though he is 80 years old, Admiral Chester has "leaped" 61 birthdays, because he was born on the extra day in the year 1841.

OSWEGO, Kan.—Judge S. C. Carlton who offered to give a free license, free wedding and handsome certificate of marriage to every woman who applied today, February 29, admitting she had done the proposing, was without a taker during the morning.

PHILADELPHIA—Miss Alice Fairfreman, 20, celebrated her fifth birthday today, she and five guests creating a sensation by appearing in "five-year-old costumes."

PAINESVILLE, Ohio—Dan Hadden 28, didn't celebrate a birthday until he was 8 when leap year "leaped" right past the year 1900. He was born February 29, 1896.

FAIR, WARMER

LOCAL FORECAST: Tonight and Saturday generally fair warmer.

FOR EAST TEXAS: Tonight generally fair; warmer except in northwest portion. Saturday generally fair; warmer southeast portion, somewhat colder in northwest portion.

FOR LOUISIANA: Tonight fair; warmer. Saturday partly cloudy; warmer except in northwest portion.

WINDS ON TEXAS COAST: Light to moderate southerly.

Highest yesterday, 58; lowest last night, 47; precipitation, trace.

TIDE RECORD

Time of high and low water at Sabine Pass Light under normal conditions on Saturday, March 1: taken from tables prepared by the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey:

High tides, 1:41 p. m.
Low tides, 6:56 a. m.; 6:48 p. m.

TEXAS WEATHER AND ROADS

Dallas—Clear; roads good.
Fort Worth—Clear; roads good.
Houston—Clear; roads rough.
San Antonio—Clear; roads good.

APPOINTMENT IS BIG SURPRISE

Local Man Succeeds Late D. P. Wheat

NEW JUSTICE DUE

Many Port Arthur Citizens Urge Him For Office

BEAUMONT, Texas, Feb. 29.—At a closed meeting of commissioners court here Friday morning, Justice of the Peace C. N. Ellis, of Port Arthur was named judge to take the place of the late D. P. Wheat who died here Tuesday.

The appointment came as a distinct surprise since it was generally believed that Judge J. D. Symon of Beaumont would be given the place.

The matter of selecting a new county judge at law proved interesting to a number of people. Scores of persons waited outside the commissioners court for the name of the new judge to be announced.

A new justice of the peace at Port Arthur to take the place left vacant by Judge Ellis will also be named by the commissioners court. Judge B. B. Johnson stated that this would not be attended to until applications for the place were received and the court did not know at present who would want the office.

A number of Port Arthur people, including Chief W. W. Covington interested in the appointment were at the court house this morning.

NATIVE OF ALABAMA

Judge Ellis is a native of Alabama, but came to Texas when his family removed to this state in 1876, locating at Pilot Point, Denton county.

During his residence in Denton county, Judge Ellis was in the law office of Emory C. Smith and A. C. Owsley, at Denton. He removed to Sabine, Texas, in 1913, holding a position with John R. Adams company and also was justice of the peace at Sabine.

After locating in Port Arthur in 1917, Judge Ellis was selected as judge of the city court, known as recorder's court, a place which he held for 27 months, and until his election as justice of the peace, precinct 2, place number 2, in the last general elections.

DAVIS GIVEN 6 YEARS IN PEN

Three Sentences Imposed on Alvin Banker

ALVIN, Texas, Feb. 29.—W. P. Davis, former president of the defunct Farmers State Bank here, will serve the next six years in state prison following his plea of guilty at Angelton yesterday on an indictment growing out of the closing of the bank. He was sentenced to two years.

Wednesday, Davis was found guilty and given two years on similar charges and after his plea yesterday, fourteen other counts against him were dropped.

With a sentence of two years assessed him in a Harris county court, Davis will go to prison for the next six years for his crimes.

Twenty-six other counts against Davis in connection with the closing of the Hitchcock State Bank of Hitchcock may be tried in Galveston next month.

REVISED TAX BILL VOTE TODAY

House Progressives Swing Behind Republicans

WASHINGTON, Feb. 29.—House progressives today cast their lot with the administration and assured the passage of the Longworth compromise tax plan.

At a meeting of the progressive group it was agreed "almost unanimously" Representative Nelson, Wisconsin, progressive leader said, to support the republican organization in the tax fight.

Two or three progressives are still holding out for the Garner plan but Nelson believes they will swing over to the organization when the final vote is taken late today.

In justifying the last moment switch to the republican organization plan, progressive leaders explained that they were chiefly concerned with holding the bloc intact for the future.

Many Churches Enter the Port Arthur News Contest For Sunday School Attendance

The Port Arthur News Sunday School enrollment and attendance contest starts Sunday morning, and according to pastors of the various churches of the city the contest is going to be a contest in every sense of the word.

Each pastor, whose church has entered, has spoken praisingly of the contest and declares that it will act as a stimulus for the Sunday School attendance. The actual enrollments for the month of February are being sent in for publication, and these enrollments will act as a basis for figuring the percentage of increase in both the attendance and enrollment.

Indications point to a spirited contest between the different churches. The enrollments for the Sunday Schools are very large in some cases, due to contests between classes in the Sunday school, and these large enrollments will make a great amount of work in the Sunday schools, pastors declare.

Those churches in the city which are not entering the contest have declared that the contest meets with their approval but due to lack of space for expansion, the contest could not be entered into just at this time.

Covington, Brizendine and Two Police Officers Are Indicted

REPORT HERE IS UNCONFIRMED

Officers Believe It Has to Do With Shooting

Chief of Police Walter W. Covington, Detective Y. Q. "Yantz" Brizendine and two other officers on the local police force have been billed by the 60th grand jury, according to unofficial reports reaching here this noon.

The nature of the charges returned against the four police officers had not yet been disclosed at Beaumont, as no arrests had been made in the case up to this noon.

Shooting Episode Recalled

Despite the absence of specific information relative to the nature of the indictments returned against the quartet of officers, it is believed by officers here the bills were returned as the result of an affair on the west side some six weeks ago when officers attempted to halt an automobile. At the time it was reported that the officers shot several times in an effort to halt the car, a number of shots taking effect in the body of the machine.

Charges of assault with intent to murder were filed at the time naming the four officers, Frank Abysen, Alfred and Joe Bos signing the complaints. Later these charges against the officers were dropped.

It was reported at the time by Frank Abysen that the officers had agreed to pay the damages suffered by the automobile when the matter was dropped. The other two officers named in these charges were assistant Les Fox and Patrolman Williams.

Other Indictments

An indictment was returned against Lee DeBarge and Howard Crump of Port Arthur for robbery and the use of firearms. A charge of robbery was filed against C. G. Prince who tried to sell a number of hides in Port Arthur after he is alleged by police to have stolen them in Beaumont.

A charge of forgery was also filed against G. W. J. Moody, of Port Arthur. It is charged the signed the name of Ed Moran to a check for $18.

Hughes Mentioned In Mosul Oil Deal

WASHINGTON, Feb. 29.—A charge that Secretary of State Hughes intervened in oil negotiations respecting the Mosul oil fields in Mesopotamia "so that the Standard Oil company alone benefitted" is made in an article appearing in tomorrow's issue of "Labor," a paper issued by railroad labor organizations.

The article, which is under a London date line, also charges that an American destroyer carried L. J. Thomas of New York, vice president of the Standard Oil company, to Durazzo last May while keen international competition was on for Albanian oil.

LIBERTY MAN IS GIVEN 30 YEARS

W. H. Boyd Convicted of Killing Woman

LIBERTY, Texas, Feb. 29.—W. H. Boyd was found guilty here late yesterday of murdering Mrs. Annie McShan in June, 1922, and sentenced to 30 years in state penitentiary.

The woman was slain on a Thursday night and the body was not found until Sunday. Whimpering over the body was the woman's two children, aged six months and two years.

'Splain Dis Pliz

She Couldn't Change One Dollar Bill But She Could Five Spot

Bob Latimer tells this one.

"I walked into the College pharmacy and bought two cigars for which the price was 25 cents. I handed the lady a one dollar bill. I also had in my hand a five dollar bill. After looking in the cash drawer she said: "I can't change this one dollar bill for you but I can change the five dollar bill you have in your hand."

"Now if she couldn't give me 75 cents change out of the one dollar bill how could she give me $4.75 change out of the five?"

Answer. She handed me back a two dollar and a half gold-piece, two one-dollars bills and 25 cents in silver.

DRAINAGE MASS MEETING TODAY

Outline Details for County Conference

A meeting of all interested citizens has been called for 4 o'clock this afternoon in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium at which time the drainage situation of the county will be discussed, it was asserted today.

President Howard Smith of the chamber will preside.

"We have asked all persons interested in the drainage problem, especially in this end of the county, to be present," Art Burge, secretary, said in making the announcement.

It is understood that details to be presented at a county mass meeting will be worked up in full at the conference this afternoon.

The county conference, or mass meeting, will be held in Beaumont, Monday, March 3.

RANGERS WITH GUNS AT LUFKIN

Help Guardsmen Hold Jail Against Mobs

LUFKIN, Texas, Feb. 29.—State Rangers equipped with machine guns arrived here today to help national guardsmen protect the county jail from mob attack.

The rangers joined forces with the militiamen who came here early yesterday and broke up a crowd of rioters who stormed the jail in an effort to lynch a negro. Three of the rioters were shot down by sheriffs.

Booker T. McMillan, the prisoner, will be tried Saturday on charges of murdering Andy Sulzer in a holdup Tuesday night. Although order has been restored, the soldiers and rangers will remain on duty until the trial is over.

FRANK COLLOPY BURIED HERE THIS MORNING

Funeral services for Frank Collopy, 50, who died Wednesday afternoon at Mary Gates hospital, were conducted at 9 a. m. today at the Catholic church, Rev. A. G. Gratten, officiating. Burial was made in Calvary cemetery, under the direction of J. E. Grammier, undertaker.

Collopy had been a resident of Port Arthur for about 15 years. He was a structural foreman, and was engaged in construction work at both the Texas and Gulf companies here. Surviving him are a sister, Mrs. J. Dunlavey, 1932 Fifth street; a brother, J. W. Collopy, of Tulsa, Oklahoma, and a nephew, Donald Dunlavey, of Port Arthur.

DREDGES DUE HERE IN MARCH

Arrival Depends Upon the Weather on Atlantic

Latest word from dredging concerns, successful in bidding on the government program for widening and deepening the Port Arthur ship canal, is to the effect that work will start the middle of next month.

The Atlantic, Gulf and Pacific Dredging company will have a dredge available for work in local waters March 15, it is understood, and the United Dredging Company's digger is to come in about March 28.

Work will be started on improvement of the waterway immediately upon arrival here of the two boats, the project having been split up into three sections. The first named company was the successful bidder upon the first and third sections with the United concern low in submitting the bid for the middle section.

In connection with deepening the channel, bids are to be opened March 8, at Beaumont on a project involving the further excavation of the ship turning basin at that place.

Dates set for the arrival here of the two large dredges depend largely on the kind of weather encountered off the Atlantic coast, it is believed here because of the dredges being towed down from Atlantic seaboard points.

C. of C. Directors Will Meet Monday

The second regular conference of the Chamber of Commerce directorate this year will be held Monday, March 3, at 7:45 o'clock, it was learned at commerce headquarters here this morning.

During the meeting, which is the regular monthly conference for March, it is understood President Howard Smith will announce his standing committees for the ensuing year.

Opening Gun Fired In Stadium Drive

AUSTIN, Feb. 29.—An explosion about one o'clock this morning aroused sleeping Austin. Not until nearly daylight, however, did the police solve the mystery. The firing of a cannon at the University campus proved to be the cause. The students were celebrating the fact that $100,000 had been raised in subscriptions to the fund for the erection of an athletic stadium.

BLAST FATAL

Southern Pacific Engine Blast Kills 3

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 29.—Three men were killed when the boiler of a westbound Southern Pacific freight train exploded 31 miles west of this city early Thursday night. The dead: A. Juraschek, engineer, San Antonio; J. R. Elchrist, fireman, San Antonio; C. C. Tuttle, brakeman, San Antonio.

State Salaries Paid In Cash This Month

AUSTIN, Feb. 29.—Officials and employes in the state capitol, all the way from the governor to the porters, cashed their pay warrants today at full value this being made possible by the return of the general revenue fund in the state treasury to a cash basis. It was the first time in eleven months that state payroll warrants were cashed at face value.

RETAILERS IN BOOST FOR FAIR

Adopt Report of Committee on Proposal

URGE TRAFFIC RULES

National Chamber of Commerce Official Speaks

Report of the committee on a Port Arthur fair, last night was adopted by the Retail Merchants Association at their dinner at the M. E. Church dinner room.

The report of the committee urged preparation be started to handle a Port Arthur fair this year.

The committee making the report has been meeting weekly for some time and reached the point where negotiations will be started with various firms engaged in promoting affairs of this kind.

"Further work along this line was promised by members of the committee.

Urge Traffic Rules

One of the main features discussed at last night's meeting of the local business men was in consideration of traffic regulations to be incorporated in ordinance form in near future by the city commission.

Under the terms of the changes now under consideration the time a car might be parked on Procter street from Beaumont to Fort Worth avenues and on Austin avenue from Third to Fifth streets, would be limited to two hours between 8 o'clock in the morning and 6 o'clock at night. This, however, would exempt the cars of physicians from the ruling.

C-C Official Speaks

The principal address of the evening was delivered by Joseph Leopold, general manager of the National Chamber of Commerce for the Southern Central division.

Leopold addressed the merchants last night on "Fair Play" both in regard to themselves and their dealings with the "other fellow." Careful watch over the latest business methods were advocated by Leopold.

Adoption of a plan for a "Trade at Home" campaign was also made last night. The campaign will be in the nature of an educational campaign addressed to the citizens of this city, showing them that any purchase which they might desire to make can be made in local business houses.

CITY ACCEPTS TRAFFIC RULES

Will Adopt Ordinances on Parking April 1

City council has accepted and will abide by recommendations made by the Chamber of Commerce and Retail Merchants association regulating parking of automobiles and traffic on downtown streets.

An ordinance putting the new traffic and parking regulations in effect will be passed by council about April 1.

Approve Proposals

"After going over the recommendations as made by the committee of the Chamber of Commerce and Retail Merchants association with the city commission and chief of police," Mayor Logan said, "we have decided on the regulations, and unless we should be convinced that some of them are not the proper thing at this time, will pass an ordinance about April 1 putting the same into effect."

Exceptions to the terms of the suggestions will be heard in city council, the mayor said, and plenty of time will be given to present objections.

Recommendations

The committee's recommendations provided for the following regulations:

First: Two hours parking time from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. for week days for blocks on Procter street between Beaumont avenue and Fort Worth avenue and on Austin avenue between Fourth and Fifth streets.

Second: At the corner of Austin avenue and Procter street and Waco avenue and Procter street there will be no left hand turn, and in the center of the intersection of these two streets will be a sign established reading "no left turn".

Third: That cars on Austin avenue from Fourth to Fifth street and on Fifth street between Fort Worth avenue and Waco avenue and Austin avenue from Fourth to Sixth street be parked at a 20-degree angle with the curb.

'OLD IRONSIDES' IN SEVENTH ASSAULT

FARMINGDALE, N. Y., Feb. 29. "Old Ironsides," Long Island safe, stood its seventh assault at the hands of yeggs and guarded its contents despite six holes bored in vain by bandits who worked all night.

Quizzed

A. MITCHELL PALMER
Former Attorney General questioned in the Teapot Dome scandal.

PALMER DENIES LACK OF ETHICS

Says He Was Employed As McLean Counsel

WASHINGTON, Feb. 29.—A. Mitchell Palmer, attorney general in the Wilson cabinet, denied before the senate oil committee today he had tried to impede the oil scandal inquiry by any unethical means.

Palmer declared the work he did for Edward B. McLean publisher of the Washington Post, was entirely in accord with legal ethics.

Palmer was called because his name appeared frequently in telegrams between McLean and his employees here, in connection with efforts to prevent the committee calling McLean as a witness.

Senator Dill, Washington, democrat, examined Palmer.

Committee Named On Pt. Neches Club

George E. Carter, L. G. Dunn, Mart May and Fritz Reichel have been named by President Stuckey of the Lions Club to aid Lion Buck Murray in investigating the possibilities of organizing a Lions club at Port Neches.

The committee was appointed today noon whe nthe Port Arthur Lions met at Plaza hotel in regular weekly luncheon.

President Stuckey pointed out the probabilities of organizing a joint club with Nederland and Port Neches citizens.

STEAL AMBULANCE

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.—Meanest thieves stole an ambulance from in front of St. Luke's hospital.

PICKLES AS EVIDENCE

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.—Two carloads of pickles were the evidence in a bankruptcy suit brought against the Portuoy Gold company.

CITY TO FORCE TAX COLLECTION

Property Will Be Sold If Not Paid

With taxpayers response still faltering, the city today was getting ready to invoke strong arm methods to collect delinquent and unpaid taxes to bolster up its financial condition.

How They Stand

Of approximately $23,000 delinquent taxes for and prior to 1922, $2,580.61 had been collected in February to and including Thursday.

Of approximately $50,000 1923 unpaid taxes $9,443.28 had been collected in February to Thursday night.

March 15, from the steps of the city hall, property embraced in delinquent taxes will start being auctioned under the hammer.

Of greater significance to property owners who have not paid their 1923 taxes was the declaration today by Mayor J. P. Logan that the city will proceed to collect them by law when they become delinquent April 1.

They Will Be Collected

Taxes delinquent on that date will be penalized 10 per cent, with interest added at the rate of 10 per cent per annum.

"We will collect these taxes," Mayor J. P. Logan laconically announced.

Forced sale, it was intimated, would be resorted to by the city to clean the 1923 slate.

This will be done, it was further intimated, before the close of the fiscal year March 31.

Tax payments for February reached the highest stage in the history of the office for that month, G. K. Lomax, city tax collector said.

DUFF ATTACKS K.C.S. CHARTER

Declares It Is Not Worth a Nickle

'BARGAIN' FOR BUSINESS

Witness Says There Are No Standard Rates

Special to The News.

AUSTIN, Feb. 29.—The W. B. T. & S. hearing closed Friday. Col. R. C. Duff charged in rebuttal the charter of the Kansas City Southern in Texas is not worth a nickle, because it provided a railroad to be built at one point and the road was constructed elsewhere. He introduced the charter of the road.

E. G. Potts called as rebuttal witness introduced published tariff sheets to the Port Neches loop stations, which it claimed the K. C. S. does not follow. Numerous exhibits dealing with K. C. S. traffic tonnage earnings in Beaumont-Port Arthur section offered by W. W. Smithy, assistant to President Duff, over protests of K. C. S. attorneys.

Bargain For Business

H. C. Eargle, traffic manager testified there are no standard divisions on traffic over joint lines beyond gateways, and divisions over K. C. S. south of Kansas City are purely "bargaining" to get the best possible. These divisions might be revised to meet competition of a new line, he said.

H. E. Kitcher, Duff traffic manager, was called. He reviewed petroleum shipments from Oklahoma.

Mr. Potts broke down the testimony of Tipton, Kansas, City Southern auditor, that grain movements were not heavier in the four fall months. He used in showing large demurrage costs, by showing only 68 out of 2200 cars of grain to Port Arthur for the 12 months ending June 1922, moved during the first six months of 1922. Several attorneys and witnesses left for their homes at noon; others are to get away tonight. By agreement, all parties were given to May 1 to file briefs with I. C. C.

Suddenly Lose Memory

Legions of the K. C. S. faltered and resorted to lack of memory in their cross examination by Col. Duff when the going got too rough for comfort and Duff swung into figures in an effort to enmesh the protestants in their own testimony.

Through error several stations on the Kansas City Southern lines in the Beaumont district were left off the sheets compiled by the Kansas City Southern officials, among them was the Chaison station near Beaumont which handles all of the Magnolia Refinery company tonnage.

The Beaumont Sawmill tonnage is also handled through this little station.

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MASTER SEAY LEAP YEAR BABE

Apparently Has Won Prizes Offered By Merchants

Apparently little Mr. William Harrell Seay, weight six pounds, who arrived at 8:20 a. m. today in Mary Gates hospital, is Port Arthur's first leap year baby.

Unless an eleventh hour report comes in or an earlier arrival on this leap year day, Mr. Seay gets the condensed milk, the baby cap, the blanket and shoes and several other things offered by Port Arthur merchants.

The youngster who will have to wait four years for another birthday is the son of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Seay, of Griffing. Little Miss Collins, weight seven pounds, arrived about 10 o'clock a. m. today in Mary Gates hospital, Port Arthur's second leap year baby. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Collins, 2345 Eleventh street.

Here's the list of gifts for the first leap year baby born in Port Arthur today:

Dentser's—Baby blanket and infant shoes.

Pigely Wiggly—Borden's condensed milk.

Vaughan Pace—Baby blanket.

College Pharmacy—Colgate's baby package.

First National Bank—$1 to start a savings account.

Kidd-Russ—Baby moccasins.

City Drug Store—Johnston's talc and soap.

Keith Shoe Company—Dainty baby shoes.

Procter Drug Company—Colgate's toilet set.

Bluestein's—Baby cap.

HE SAYS METHUSELAH DIED TOO YOUNG

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.—Even Old Methuselah died before his time. He could have lived longer if he had watched his diet and brushed his teeth, Dr. Thomas Darlington, ex-health commissioner said, predicting 120 years of life for the next generation.

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PORT ARTHURIAN GRANTED BOND

L. J. Mouhart Will Get Hearing on Monday

Special to The News.

BEAUMONT, Texas, Feb. 29.—L. J. Mouhart, Port Arthur, was released from the county jail here Thursday after having made $200 bond. He made bond immediately following a habeas corpus hearing before Judge George C. O'Brien. His case has been set for hearing next Monday in 58th district court. He was indicted by the grand jury on a statutory charge.

COURT DOCKET

Divorces Filed

Alcide Vincent vs. Amelia Vincent.

Suits Filed

R. M. White vs. J. L. Latimer.

Marriage Licenses

Alfonze Ozan and Beatrice Barrett.

Clinton DeWitt Lockett and Miss Georgia Margarite Harris.

Louis Turner and Florida Elmore.

Joseph Hickey and Miss Willie Crumpler.

C. R. Fones and Miss Mattie Nell Davidson.

Automobile Licenses

E. L. Romero, 120 Eleventh street, Port Arthur, Ford.

Arthur Thompson, 210 Mobile avenue, Port Arthur, Ford.

B. H. Jernigan, 1128 Vicksburg avenue, Port Arthur, Ford.

G. T. Stevens, 523 Stilwell boulevard, Port Arthur, Ford.

LIONS TO RIDE BOAT

Special to The News.

BEAUMONT, Texas, Feb. 29—Members of the Lions club here will take a boat ride to Port Neches on March 6 at noon, by an agreement reached here at their club meeting Thursday.

Whether to take the wives of the members of the club on a ride during the day or at night brought on a deal of discussion at the club meeting. Members expressed the opinion that there was "no kick" in taking a ride with their wives at night. They also explained that they wanted to see the scenery and it was finally agreed to take the trip at noon.

PORT ARTHUR CAR BURNED

Special to The News.

BEAUMONT, Texas, Feb 29.—A Ford coupe, the property of B. C. Fuller of Woodville was stolen from in front of the Hotel Beaumont here Thursday. A car stolen from F. H. Ross was found near El Vista yesterday in a ditch.

Another automobile, the property of Charles Angelo of Port Arthur was found burned on the old Port Arthur road last night. The car had been stripped.

Chief W. W. Covington of Port Arthur stated Friday morning that the majority of cars stolen from that city were found. He suggested, however, that automobilists be very careful about taking their keys out of their cars and also locking them.

Sheriff Tom Garner also stated that loss of cars should be reported to the police department, either city or county promptly. He stated that in many instances the cars were stolen for a period of a week or more before any report was made on them.

GIVEN $20,000 JUDGMENT

Special to The News.

BEAUMONT, Texas, Feb. 29.—A verdict in favor of Marrs McLean in his suit against the Humble Oil and Refining company for slander of title was given Friday morning by jurors in 60th district court. He was given about $20,000, although the original suit was for $50,000 of which $25,000 was actual and $25,000 exemplary damages. The case went to trial last Thursday morning.

DOCKETS SEPARATED

Special to the News.

BEAUMONT, Texas, Feb. 29.—There will be four dockets in the district clerk's office from now on instead of two. District Clerk Kirby Smith Friday morning started work on separating the dockets. This was made necessary by the number of divorces. In the future all divorces in 58th district court will be entered in a special divorce docket, as those in 60th also. The other cases will be in another docket. Mr. Smith stated that all the larger Texas cities had four dockets and Jefferson county is following in the lead of others.

DUFF HEARING

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tion that was left out of the tonnage report figures for the K. C. S. system by the officials for that road. Operation costs for that portion of the road, were included however, in the report introduced into the record of the case.

R. H. Tinton, auditor of the Kansas City Southern lines followed Vice President Holden on the stand and like his chief developed a temporary loss of memory when Duff's questions pulled his figures down around his ears.

Doesn't Say Why

Tinton failed to state under cross examination why the tonnage receipts for Chasson had been left off the sheets prepared by the Kansas City Southern road for the hearing on the Duff case.

Considerable wrangling was experienced between Duff and the witnesses over the track connecting Port Arthur with the industrial sites between Beaumont and Port Arthur. Kansas City Southern officials claimed under oath that this track was a spur track, but rate sheets were questioned by Duff in an effort to establish that this track was a common carrier and should be considered a main line road.

Arthur Stilwell again bobbed up in the meeting when L. J. Hawley assistant secretary of the K. C. S. stated that Stilwell's name did not appear in the minutes of the earlier meetings of this road.

Col. Duff showed by his producing division tariff sheets that the K. C. S. maintained agreements with the Texas and Pacific and the Southern Pacific lines for the transfer of cotton and grain at Texarkana and Shreveport for delivery out of the Kansas City territory to shipside at either New Orleans or Galveston. This, Duff showed, gave the K. C. S. virtually the same amount for the short haul as it would have received had it brought the shipments into Port Arthur for shipside delivery.

"I Don't Know," He Cries

Questioned on this point J. F. Holden showed little insight into the working arrangements of a railroad for a vice president and frequently took refuge behind a barricade of "I don't know."

J. R. McLeod, of the K. C. S. valuation department introduced as testimony figures purporting to show the revenue accruing to the Duff lines, should they be built was a half million dollars under the estimates prepared by Col. Duff. On the basis of his figures, however McLeod admitted that the Duff road would earn $3,000 a mile.

Later it was brought out that the figures prepared by the K. C. S. officials covered territory and shipments originating in Kansas City as the gateway instead of at St. Louis.

FRESH HOUNDS TRAIL CONVICTS

16 Escaped Mexicans Are Still at Large

HOUSTON, Feb. 29.—Fresh packs of blood hounds were brought here today from the penal farm at Sugarland to trail sixteen Mexican convicts still at large following a wholesale delivery from Blue Ridge state prison farm Tuesday night in which 27 dashed to liberty.

Ten of the convicts have been returned to their cells. The eleventh, Ramon Vasquez, died yesterday from a shot in the back received when he ignored a prison guard's order to halt.

Special Musical Program Announced

What has been termed a "musical treat for music lovers" will be given Sunday evening at the First Christian church, Beaumont and Fifth street, at 7:30 o'clock. C. N. Bier, choir director, has assembled a choir of more than thirty voices, which will render a number of anthems in addition to special selections by tenor and baritone soloists, Rev. R. R. Yelderman, pastor, said this morning. Other musical numbers will be rendered by a male quartet.

Following the musical program Rev. Yelderman will deliver a sermon on the theme "A Red-Blooded Man's Religion." The increasing attendance at the church services are necessitating extra chairs in the main auditorium according to the pastor who said that a special corps of ushers will be on duty Sunday night.

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Robertson May Be Next Peace Justice

Selection of R. G. Robertson, 2001 Tenth street Texas Company attorney and assistant judge of the Port Arthur corporation court, is being considered as the possible successor to Judge A. N. Ellis as justice of the peace for precinct 2, place number 2, it is reported in political circles here.

No confirmation of the reports would be given by county commissioners, who will name Judge Ellis' successor, probably at the sessions of commissioners' court next Monday, at Beaumont but it was stated by well-informed sources that Judge Robertson is slated for selection as justice of the peace here.

City Asked to Sell Small Piece of Land

Port Arthur, at the regular session of city commissioners today, was offered $300 for a triangular piece of property situated at Savannah and Nederland avenues when M. Clause appeared before the executives and requested a sale of the land.

Mayor Logan informed the applicant that he could make his offer, that it then would be investigated by the city engineering department, and that the right to sell the property must then be left to a vote of the public. If the city finds the property worth $300 the question of sale will probably be contained in the budget election in June.

Much Clothing Brought To City Schools Here

Boxes placed in Franklin, DeQueen and High schools today to receive the contributions of clothing from school students to be forwarded by the Red Cross chapter here to the Near East relief, were fast filling up with shoes, coats, dresses, boys' suits and various articles of wearing apparel, school officials reported today.

Again Monday the school students most of whom are members of the Port Arthur Junior Red Cross chapter, will bring clothing which they have discarded, and Red Cross workers under the direction of Mrs. Frank J. Imhoff will collect the articles early Tuesday, and bundle them up and ship them to the Near East Relief committee Red Cross officials said.

Seven Commissions of Deputies Voided

Commissions carried by seven special deputies in Port Arthur were revoked today when Mayor Pink Logan announced that the commissions had been canceled.

During trouble threatened here last year, the mayor said, he and Chief of Police Walter W. Covington signed commissions for seven special officers, who since then have carried their commissions. It was learned yesterday that special deputies are empowered only to act in an emergency, their commissions expiring within 24 hours, and the mayor immediately withdrew all commissions granted.

LIONS IN CLOSED MEET

Directors of the Lions club met in executive session today noon following the regular weekly luncheon of the organization held at Plaza hotel.

DALLAS COUNTY PAYS $100,000 AUTO TAX

AUSTIN, Feb. 29.—Dallas county has remitted $100,000 of automobile license taxes to the highway department.

BETTER THAN WHISKEY FOR COLDS AND FLU

Delightful Elixir, Called Aspironal, Medicated With Latest Scientific Remedies That Are Endorsed by Medical Authorities to Cut Short a Cold or Cough Due to Cold and Prevent Complications

Every Druggist in U. S. Instructed to Refund Price While You Wait at Counter if You Don't Feel Relief Coming in Two Minutes.

Delightful Taste, Immediate Relief, Quick Warm-Up.

The sensation of the drug trade is Aspironal, the two-minute cold and cough reliever, authoritatively guaranteed by the laboratories, tested, approved and most enthusiastically endorsed by the highest authorities, and proclaimed by the people as ten times as quick and effective as whisky, rock and rye, or any other cold and cough remedy they have ever tried.

All drug stores are supplied with the wonderful elixir, so all you have to do to get relief from that cold is to step into the nearest drug store, hand the clerk half a dollar for a bottle of Aspironal and tell him to serve you two teaspoonfuls. With your watch in your hand, take the drink at one swallow and call for your money back in two minutes if you cannot feel the distressing symptoms of your cold fading away like a dream, within the time limit. Don't be bashful, for all druggists invite you and expect you to try it. Everybody's doing it.

When your cold or cough is relieved, take the remainder of the bottle home to your wife and children, for Aspironal is by far the safest and most effective, the easiest to take and most agreeable cold and cough remedy for children as well as adults. Quickest relief for catarrhal croup and children's choking up at night.—(Adv.)

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English broadcloth shirts in plain whites, tans and grays

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$2.50

Another lot of madras shirts in an assortment of various colored stripe designs

$1.95

Plain tan, white and gray shirts with attached and detached collars

$1.25

High Grade Work Shirts

Hong Kong Khaki Interurban Special work shirts

$2.45

Interurban plain blue and gray work shirts with two pockets

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$1.95

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How much dry lead should be mixed with how many quarts of linseed oil to produce enough red lead to paint the under side of a flivver?

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Port Neches Expects Great Benefits From Building of Proposed Duff Railro

PRESENT RATES PROVE HANDICAP

K.C.S. Handles Business of 'Big Interests Only

By Roger Wm. Archer
The Port Arthur News Staff

Port Neches generally favors the proposed Duff line, and the community has such a deep interest in its success that the Chamber of Commerce of that community delegated A. L. Brooks and J. H. Hicks to represent Port Neches at the recent hearings in Austin before the Interstate Commerce and state railway commissions, sitting en banc.

Only Big Interests Served

"The Kansas City Southern only furnishes facilities for the big industries. Port Neches freight or team track work is not considered by them in Port Neches," one Chamber of Commerce member, heartily in accord with Col. R. C. Duff's plans, let it be known in an interview yesterday.

"We have no passenger facilities, and as far as the Kansas City Southern is concerned we aren't even here.

Merchants Handicapped

"Port Neches merchants are handicapped in freight movements, and if we secure freight through Nederland, one of our nearest neighbors, we are required to pay an inland rate, whereas if we received freight direct here we would get a port rate which is considerably cheaper.

"We find it considerably cheaper to freight to Port Arthur and truck our shipments back to Port Neches than to pay the inland rate at Nederland, and at present we are doing considerable business in this manner.

Small Business Prevented

"Lack of freight facilities prevents many small businesses from being developed along the water front here, and the Kansas City Southern, we feel, is not helping Port Neches, but hampering its growth just as it has for years monopolized the fruits of Port Arthur and retarded her growth."

Asked whether the road had been surveyed through Port Neches, the business man declared that "surveyors were through here some five months ago, but none of us know where the line will fall if its proposed route is granted. We just know that it is coming through Port Neches if it comes at all, and we feel that it is needed. It will be a welcome venture as far as we are concerned."

Port Neches Church Asks Bid to Build Sunday School Rooms

The Methodist church at Port Neches is asking for bids on additional room, which will augment the church and Sunday school facilities.

It was learned yesterday that the church congregation which is pastored by Rev. W. E. Hassler, expects to add a room measuring 30 by 30 feet, at an approximate cost of between one and two thousand dollars.

Rev. Hassler, who is serving his fourth year in the charge, has been largely instrumental in the church body outgrowing present facilities.

Port Neches High School Studes in Play

"The Black Face Comedians" is the name of a play being given at the Port Neches high by members of the student body Friday night.

The funds derived from the comedy will be converted to the athletic fund of the school, according to J. H. Hicks, who says that students in the Port Neches school are taking a considerable interest in athletic development.

Dickey's old reliable eye water relieves sore eyes from gnats and dust. —Adv.

STOP THAT ITCHING
Use Blue Star Remedy. Itch, Tetter or Cracked Hands, Ring Worms, Chapped Face, Poison Oak, Sunburn, Old Sores or Sores on Children. It relieves all forms of Sore Feet. For sale by Corner Drug Store.—Adv.

BACK NEARLY KILLED HIM

Soon Recovers Health After Taking Dr. Thacher's Liver and Blood Syrup

"Dr. Thacher's Liver and Blood Syrup started me on the road to good health and I am now well and strong," said T. J. Gee, 1017 Crump St., Ft. Worth, Texas.

"My stomach was all out of order and I was all the time having trouble with gas and indigestion. Headaches made me miserable and my back would nearly kill me. I had rheumatism in my legs and sometimes would get dizzy I'd come near falling. My nerves were wrecked and I couldn't half sleep at night.

"After trying many other preparations without getting anywhere I at last got hold of Dr. Thacher's Liver and Blood Syrup and began to mend right off."

Dr. Thacher's Liver and Blood Syrup is sold by all druggists and if you are not satisfied the purchase price will be refunded.—Adv.

Underworld Nights

by Alexander Herman
NEA SERVICE WRITER

A bunch of swells in evening clothes.

NO. 7—AS MORNING CAME

One of the chief hangouts of the Underworld is a fashionable cabaret on Broadway near Longacre Square. There, after two o'clock in the morning, the fashionable founders of society mix with the scum of the city—and don't know it.

On the tables are cards of the management requesting that its patrons help them enforce the prohibition laws. But over them stand the waiters, who want to know what one will have. The price is high; but the liquor is good and it flows freely.

The night I was there there were six gangsters in the party. At the next table sat one of the most popular dancers of the stage, and a song writer whose successes are sung from coast to coast. Nearby sat a famous movie idol with a party of beautiful princesses. At another table a well-known singer was drowning his song in a highball.

As the night wore on, in came parties from Park avenue or Riverside drive—a bunch of swells in evening clothes. And when the band struck up they went out on the floor and danced, not any differently than the other half in the East Side dance halls.

The manager of the place asked our leader if we wanted to join in the dance. "Sure," he replied. So he was taken over and introduced to the new hostess. He took one look at her, turned back and sat down. She wasn't to his liking. A few more drinks, and he turned to one of his lieutenants:

"Frank," the chief said, "get a broad." Frank started to rattle off a list of names, but none struck his chief's fancy until he reached Billy.

"She'll do," the leader said, and his lieutenant went out to phone her.

In five minutes she came.

She was a beauty, about 22 years old, and easy to look at.

The chief nudged me. "You dance with her first," he said.

A raised eyebrow, an acceptance, and we went out on the floor. And how she danced!

First with one, then with another, she danced on through the night. And when morning came, she went back to her apartment with one of the mob.

GANG-TIONARY.

Dip: Pickpocket.
To bing: To open a pocketbook.
To give a tail: To leave a trace.
Gorilla: A gunman.
To be booked: To be slated on the police blotter.
Rat: A squealer.
What do you work at?: What line in crookdom is yours?

BAPTISTS ERECT NEW BUILDING

Port Neches Church Has Outgrown Facilities

Outgrowing their present church facilities, Port Neches Baptists have found it expedient to erect a tabernacle to temporarily house the influx in attendance.

The church, which is pastored by the Rev. W. H. Fortney, is planning a brick structure for the near future, it is understood.

The tabernacle is neatly completed.

Daniels Supporters Launch Campaign

RALEIGH, N. C., Feb. 29.—A movement which supporters of Josephus Daniels for president expect to make nation wide, was launched here today to foster the candidacy of the former secretary of the navy.

R. N. Simms, an attorney of Raleigh, headed the movement. He was chosen president at a rally of Daniels supporters here last night.

Amusements

FRIDAY

Peoples: Mae Murray starred in "Fashion Row".
Strand: "The Green Goddess" with George Arliss featured.
Pearce: Musical bill, "The Three Twins", picture, "Disraeli".
Liberty: David Butler in "The Milky Way", Ep. 3 of "Way of a Man".
Green Tree: Pathe Program, and Ep 1 of "Way of a Man".

SATURDAY

Peoples: Mae Murray starred in "Fashion Row".
Strand: Norma Talmadge in "The Song of Love".
Pearce: Musical bill, "Where Do You Live?", picture, "The Little Wildcat".
Liberty: "The Valley of Lost Souls" with all star cast.
Green Tree: "Woman to Woman".
Elks: Recital and classic dancing by Edna G. Williams.

"THE SONG OF LOVE"

What do the stars wear off the screen?

One hears much and sees enough photographs of the clothes they wear in pictures, but most of the "stills" showing the stars "at ease" look as if some department store had taken its latest Moutmartre fashions to Hollywood and asked the stars to pose in them for one afternoon only.

However, the clothes worn by such stars as Norma Talmadge, Mary Pickford, Constance Talmadge, Gloria Swanson and Pola Negri are distinguished more for their simplicity than their eccentricity.

As the first of a series of interviews with the stars on their "off screen" clothes Clare West, Norma Talmadge's costumer, was visited.

According to Miss West, who designs both Norma's photoplay and home costumes, Norma prefers the utmost simplicity in her clothing.

All of Norma's day and evening gowns are of the most elegant materials, but of the simplest possible design. Quiet in tone and cut, and with nothing bizarre in their ensemble, Norma's gowns are ideally suited to her personality.

Norma seldom wears jewelry. She abhors tinselly effects, embroidery and other gee-gaws which appeal to some very young girls and "girls" who because of the inroads of time are not so sure of their charms.

For day-time wear Norma prefers very heavy crepes, charmine and alome velvet. She uses very little trimming, but when she does she shows a preference for sable and other expensive furs.

However, Miss Talmadge is very particular as to cut and lines of her gowns and will spend hours in seeing that they are draped perfectly.

For evening Norma likes chiffons, chiffon velvet and very thin sheer lace dresses.

Low shoes with strappings high on the ankle and medium heels for both day and evening wear appeal most to her. For sports she nearly always wears white with jade jewelry.

Norma has a new evening gown with a foundation of blue silver cloth draped with silver lace and trimmed with platinum fox. This gown is cut in the new circular style. It is very buffante at the bottom and close fitting around the figure with girdle of silver cloth.

The idea for this gown was taken by Clare West from the one worn by Norma in "The Song of Love," in which Norma plays the role of an Ouled Nail dancing girl of the Algerian Sahara.

"The Song of Love" will open at the Strand Theater tomorrow.

Awful Distress Now Relieved

There is perhaps nothing more distressing to people who are bothered with them, and surely nothing as displeasing to others who see them as pimples, blotches, bumps, rash, scrofula eczema, "breaking out," and similar skin disfigurers.

And now that Black and White Ointment is proving to be so dependable in quickly-getting rid of these diseases of the skin, it seems foolish for people to neglect using it, and making themselves attractive to others instead of being slighted all the time.

Any dealer has Black and White Ointment in the convenient, low-priced, liberal package. The 50c size contains three times as much as the liberal 25c size.—Adv.

SILK-WOOL SCARFS

Gay scarfs of silk and wool worn effectively with sport suits of suede.

ANNOUNCEMENT

This is to announce that the National Barber Shop—formerly owned by Mr. R. McFaddin, has been purchased by Mr. M. A. Gray. The firm will go under the same name and you and your friends are solicited to give us a part of your business.

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A Leap Year Dance
Given by the
Knights of Columbus
At the Plaza Hotel
Friday, Feb. 29th, 1924
Admission $1.00—Ladies Free

Goldberg's

Tomorrow, Saturday, Winds Up
Our Sale of Silks

Those of you who could not attend this sale earlier in the week had better come down Saturday and save.

$2.98 Spiral Crepe for $2.58
40 inches wide, comes in black, brown, navy, toast and caramel, sale price, yard $2.58.

$3.50 Flat Crepe $2.95
40 inches wide, chink blue, cocoa, white, pink, navy, sand, pekin, brick and dust, sale price $2.95

$1.98 Kimono Silk for $1.69
A wide assortment of patterns to choose from in this splendid kimono silk, sale price per yard $1.69.

$3.50 Golf Crepe $2.95
New innovation in silks 40 inches wide, tiquelilly, oyster white, tan, jade, navy, black and brown, sale price $2.95.

$1.59 Corean Silk at $1.39
33 inches wide, comes in pink, orchid, tan, white, and maise, sale price for $1.39.

$3.98 Printed Georgette $3.58
An assortment of attractive floral combinations; 40 inches wide, on sale per yard $3.58.

$4.50 Novelty Crepe $3.88
40 inches wide in new novelty printed silks; checks included, Saturday only $3.88.

$3.50 Charmeuse Sale for $2.59
Brown, black and henna is the only shades that this quality comes in, sale price $2.59.

$2.25 Plain Georgette $1.98
Rose, pink, orchid, tan, gray and other shades to make a selection from, sale price per yard $1.98.

Other Savings For Saturday

Beaded Pouch Bags $5.95
Special offering in a Pouch Bag for women, silk lined and fitted with mirror, Saturday only $5.95.

50c and 75c Stamped Goods 29c
A few of these centers, scarfs, napkins and other sundry items for embroidering is placed for Saturday on a table for 29c.

$1.75 to $2.50 Stamped Goods 98c
Linen table runners, gowns, teddies, infants' dresses, children's dresses, etc., sale for Saturday only at 98c.

$1.25 Colored Dress Linen 98c
Any color you want in this quality cloth, for it is the most desired for spring and early summer dresses, sale price for Saturday only 98c.

98c and $1.25 Stamped Goods 59c
Lunch cloths, card table covers, linen napkins, scarfs, teddies, infants dresses, children's dresses, already for embroidering on sale for 59c Saturday only.

Onyx Silk Hose at $1
Gray, biege, brown, black and caramel, lisle garter top, fine quality, sizes 8 1-2 to 10, sale for Saturday at $1.

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"WHERE STYLE BEGINS"

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Neat Apron Dresses At Two Low Prices

You'll wonder how we can sell such excellent garments at such a low price. But the larger the purchase the lower the price—that tells the story! And these comprise our allotment of a purchase of several thousand dozen Apron Dresses for the 475 J. C. Penney Company Stores.

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of good quality are the materials from which these attractive Apron Dresses are made. And they're well made, too, being cut full so that they fit comfortably after they are laundered.

The Prices:
69c AND 83c

Sizes to Fit Any Lady in Port Arthur!

Many of the styles are displayed here for the first time. They show new ideas in trimmings which are unusually clever. And the colorings are varied enough to suit all. You'll want several of these Apron Dresses when you see them. Don't bother to make any when you can buy them here at prices like these.

NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE®

A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

I WILL THEREFORE THAT THE YOUNGER WOMEN MARRY, BEAR CHILDREN, GUIDE THE HOUSE, GIVE NONE OCCASION TO THE ADVERSARY TO SPEAK REPROACHFULLY.—1 Tim. 5:14

The Editorial Mind

However, comma—

Odds and Ends and Comment on Our Morning Mail

At the intersection of Seventh street on Houston avenue there stands a mute, battle-scarred witness to the recklessness of some automobile drivers. It is a safety zone marker.

The marker occupies a sort of No Man's Land. Two street car lines merge near it. Four thoroughfares come together where it stands. The intersection is one of the busiest in the city.

The once huge, cone-shaped chunk of concrete is no more. Metal slabs, once functioning as reinforcements, now stick out of the top like tomb stones. The old marker has fought many a valiant fight, but in the end it lost.

Somewhere in Port Arthur there are a bunch of automobiles whose bows bear signs of conflict They could tell a series of rousing tales if they would.

Picture a bunch of lightweights each in succession taking a whack at Dempsey and in the end putting him hors de combat. That's the likeliest illustration we know.

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Leap year is leap year any way you take it, from the dawn of January 1 to the stroke of midnight, December 31. But there is only one leap year day—February 29, an oddity among its mates of the calendar because it checks up the year, gone askew and bereft of responsibility, and makes it behave.

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February 29 acts as a kind of big brother to his mates. They reach us but a day old. Youth is notoriously frivolous and it is small wonder that these young scions combine to short change us out of six hours a year. February 29 reaches us full grown, four years old, a graybeard full of experience and wisdom, and when he appears on the scene to demand an accounting he gets it and we all are given another day in which to live, grieve, rejoice or whatever it is human beings, strange creatures, like to do.

Then, like an efficiency expert, having accomplished what he has set out to do, Mr. Leap Year Day departs on four years vacation.

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Fine thing, isn't it, to work a day and then have a holiday for four years? To most of us that conjures up a greatly desired consummation. But, sad to relate, most of us couldn't handle the situation as well as Leap Year does. He never has been known to fail. Always on time after the stroke of midnight February 28, he is as punctual in his departure 24 hours later. He doesn't risk being a bore. You and I, for instance, might go to the bowwows in four years, with nothing for idle hands to do, and then what?

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Early in the game, Leap Year and Dan Cupid went into a partnership of hearts.

February 29 is precocious and unusual. Small wonder, then, on a day full of unusualities the rest of our scheme of life should undergo a change.

Between you and me one reason was this: When Nam, the caveman, seized a club, visited his lady fair, tapped her on the skull and dragged her to his hearth, he set a precedent which has been little deviated from in several million years. We no longer, in polite circles, use the club, but we might as well, because we bore the poor lady to death and she ultimately gives in to keep from losing her mind. Leap Year Day gives her a chance to assert her rights, as though some one might say, "Give me my way four years and you can have your way a day." So the lady gets her day. She becomes privileged. If she wants you, rather than that other fellow who has been pestering her to death, all she has to do is to ask, and all you can do, as a gentleman is to accept.

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This is highly interesting, from the standpoint of theory. It would be more interesting to learn if on this Leap Year Day any fair Port Arthur damsels bend the knee to a husky male and tearfully entreat, "Will you be mine? I cannot live without you." What would you, a single, eligible male reply? Would it be, "No, my pretty one, but I'll be a big brother to you"? We'll never know, of course. But just the same we'd like to—and we've no exception, either, either.

FIRESIDE FUN

JOHNNY'S MORNING FACE

"Johnny, your face needs washing. Did you look at it in the mirror this morning?"

"No mother, but it seemed all right when I felt it."—Boston Transcript.

DAD'S WARNING

"Mamie says she's going to take up Greek and Roman Mythology."

"Tell her to let them fool games alone an' attend to her studies."—Judge.

DAD GETS HIS

"I married you thinking you were an clinging vine—and got poison ivy."

"I made a slight mistake, too. I thought you were a sturdy oak, but it was all in your head."—American Legion Weekly.

K. C. S. ATTORNEY STUBS HIS TOE IN REFUTING HARDBOILED FACTS

This seems to be a week of statements and explanations. Now comes Attorney Moore for the Kansas City Southern to bat in behalf of his "persecuted" railroad. In Austin he authorized a statement setting forth the old story, and why Col. Duff should be denied the right to make Port Arthur the terminus of his Waco, Beaumont, Trinity and Sabine railroad, it appears on another page.

Attorney Moore seems to have lost sight of several of the most vital issues involved. He is entitled to state his opinion, of course, and The News, in a spirit of fair play, is glad to print it. But in Port Arthur, where we're all becoming more or less experts in discovering the nigger in the wood pile on occasion, Moore's explanation will defeat the purpose for which the learned counsel intended it. People here are not dumb. Neither are they blind. And it is an insult to Port Arthur's intelligence to assume that our people are.

In the first place, every facility of the K. C. S. is organized in protest against that part of the proposed route from Beaumont to Port Arthur. In the face of this issue Moore would blind all who would listen to him to the full scope of Duff's proposal. He loses sight of the fact that a vast and agriculturally and industrially rich interior of Texas is cut off from the Gulf and is crying for an outlet. Can the K. C. S. provide that outlet? Have they ever provided that outlet from the territory in question? Let Mr. Moore answer if he can. We speak from the standpoint of rates as well as rails.

That part of the line from Beaumont to Port Arthur would reduce K. C. S. earnings, Moore maintains.

Possibly. But from Auditor Tipton's own sworn statement we glean that the K. C. S. net profits on $100,000 capitalization of the Texarkana & Fort Smith railway, subsidiary entering this territory, in about nine years reached the stupendous sum of $2,933,527—or more than 30 times its capital. These earnings range from 249 per cent in 1914 to 512 per cent in 1919 and 348 per cent in 1922.

Moore says these earnings have never been adequate.

We doubt whether, in all the railroad history of the United States, there exists a record which can approach the monumental profits the K. C. S. has earned in this territory. Of course, 1,000 per cent earnings would be more "adequate." But why stop? Why not, Mr. Moore, ask for a million per cent?

And learned counsel for a railroad with a stranglehold like that on the prosperity of this community is one in telling the Texas Railroad commission that the cost of Duff's line, Beaumont to Port Arthur, would be prohibitive—and then has to back down because he practically admits that he doesn't know what he is talking about.

Moore says the line can end in Beaumont. This statement seems so foolish that it is almost a strain on one's credulity to learn that Moore stated it. Build a line, in short, to meet a transportation emergency, and then cut it off from outlet. When Mr. Moore enters his home, does he stand on his front lawn and jump through a window? No. He goes up the steps, if he has any, and through a door. Otherwise he would stay outside.

"We have a large investment in Port Arthur and we are constantly endeavoring to further its interests as well as our own," says Moore.

One of the K. C. S. investments in Port Arthur is a strip of land which as effectually cuts us off from the outside as would a stone wall a mile high. Does this look like harmony of interests between the K. C. S. and the city of Port Arthur, which Moore so suavely claims in another breath?

Moore would have us believe that the K. C. S. facilities include rate arrangements with other railroads. He says these railroads would be deprived of considerable revenue without receiving anything in return.

Are these railroads squawking? We haven't heard them. They seem to be as ready for Duff's connections to their territories a short haul outlet to the Gulf as Duff is to give it to them.

Moore's arguments are unworthy of a learned counsel. One expects a railroad attorney to "spring deep stuff," but not so deep that the pit he digs for others he falls into himself.

This is what Mr. Moore does. He defeats the K. C. S. cause, if that railroad ever had any cause, by presenting arguments for it that any Port Arthur boy of ten, brought up on them, could pick to pieces.

Leading a double life may get you through just twice as quick.

Quillen's Paragraphs

Short tragedy. Act I: Stranger enters. Act II: "No," says the druggist.

It isn't much of a reform wave that deletes hops and substitutes hop.

Just a little while ago the fellow smeared with oil was a mechanic, not a salesman.

Great Britain recognized Russia, but at this distance it seemed little more than a rod.

Philadelphia's halo has not yet developed sufficient candle power to replace the electric service.

The rooster is the only genuine feminist. He cackles approval of the hen's accomplishment.

A good vocabulary of cuss words doesn't help you much, now that so many of the book agents are females.

Well, it's a fair division. When you sign his note, he borrows the money and you borrow trouble.

Never argue with a fool or a woman. The fool can't think and the woman can't stop.

The man who buys a 1924 model isn't so far ahead. His mortgage is precisely like your old one.

Women are braver than men. No man would dare try on $125 garments if he had only 15 cents.

No wonder the movie business is in a slump. The titles have used up the supply of naughty adjectives.

You never can tell. The "regulars" in Mexico are holding out still in spite of Uncle Sam's assistance.

The Ford boom will wane rapidly when people face the job of starting the things on frosty mornings.

What people really mean by "free speech" is the right to insult the strong without getting their just desserts.

As a general thing, the first business of those who investigate an automobile accident is to look for the bottle.

If they insist on pure and gentle candidates who never have received fortunes from big business, they might try paragraphers.

In literature we are reaching the point where a man's degree of erudition is estimated by the number of things he cusses.

Correct this sentence: "Let me sleep with him, ma," begged Willie; "honest, he ain't got no fleas."

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First Robins

YOUR HEALTH

By Dr. C. C. Robinson

THINKING HEALTH

It is well to think well and divine to act well. All the thinking you may be able to produce will fail to advance you either mentally or physically if your acts concerning the use or misuse of your bodily powers are not shaped to carry out your ideal thoughts.

A body that is not too fat or too slim and is kept clean and healthy by right living should, under the proper environment, produce a vigorous mind that is full of clean, helpful thoughts. These thoughts shape your life and make or break it.

The attitude of thinking health is necessary to body building and normal development. A clean, active mind will have a deep regard for the preservation and control of the bodily health and strength. Life's stream depends for its renewal in those who come after us, on clean, healthy minds.

The sustaining qualities of the mind are so interwoven with bodily physique that the success or failure of your health condition is bound up in their co-operation.

Don't cause a let-down in your physical efficiency by carelessness in your mental makeup. The day you decide to take it easy, or run along in a rut, that day you have started a physical decline.

If your health thinking is strong and active, the stimulus will show returns in healthy active bodies.

You can think yourself into many situations. Try it on health.

Where Is France Going?

By MILTON BRONNER
News-NEA Service Writer

PARIS, Feb. 29.—Is France heading for a government of the extreme Right or the extreme Left?

Is she going to have a White dictatorship like Italy and Spain, or a Red dictatorship like Russia?

These are the vital questions that I came to France to study.

It is safe to say France will go neither Red nor White.

She may go a step in the direction of strong one-man government by giving Premier Poincare extraordinary powers, but unless all signs fail, she will swing in the other direction in the parliamentary elections of the coming spring by putting into power a coalition of the parties of the Left—notably the Radicals, the Republicans and the Socialists.

There are certain vital things about the present situation that no thinking Frenchman can get out of his mind:

1—The tremendous decline of the franc.

2—The heavy debt.

3—The huge deficit.

4—Resultant high cost of living.

5—Failure of the Ruhr invasion to produce the expected revenue.

6—Fear of a revengeful Germany.

7—Necessity, therefore, for a huge French army which keeps young Frenchmen out of productive employment.

8—Decreasing birthrate compared with the big one in Germany.

Party Divisions

Any country, when it is worried, blames its troubles on the government in power. And that is what one finds in France. The Royalists, insignificant in number, but powerful because of the cleverness and ability of men like Leon Daudet and Charles Maurras, say the remedy is to restore royalty.

Then there are the Communists and their organ, "Humanite," with a circulation of 250,000. But the French say the communist movement in France is dying. There will be no fusion between Communists and Socialists.

Alexandre Millerand was made president by the "Bloc National," which he largely created. Raymond Poincare was put into the premier's offices at the Quai d'Orsay by the same group. It is a coalition of a number of parties, all of which are conservative and most of which represent the big business interests of France.

Opposed to them is the "Bloc des Gauches," the Left bloc, made up of the more liberal parties in temporary alliance with the Socialists. It is this bloc which expects to carry the next elections.

Poincare will then be succeeded as premier either by Aristide Briand or Edouard Herriott or Paul Painleve. Heriott, brilliant young mayor of Lyons, is the more likely choice.

Poincare Is Target

Recently the opponents of Poincare found there was a possibility of throwing him out of office. But they didn't do it because they knew Millerand would call upon Louis Barthou to form a cabinet and they didn't want the issue clouded.

They want Poincare to be the issue—Poincare and his mistakes, his high taxes, his venture in the Ruhr, his fertile promises about payment from the Germans and his confessed failure.

But don't make any mistake about this—a victory by the Left won't mean that France will leave the Ruhr.

A government of the Left would make a sincere effort to come to some real agreement with Germany, particularly if the republican elements are on top there. It would attempt to revive the entente cordiale with England, particularly if the Labor government were still in power there. It would not adopt such a stiff attitude toward Russia, particularly if Italy and England resumed relations with the Slavs.

It would work with England to make the League of Nations more powerful. It would seek to equalize the tax burden by going after the big interests which have managed to escape.

Telling It To CONGRESS

POETRY OF CONGRESS

Some of you remember the old rhyme—

Of fools the world has such a store
That he who would not meet an ass
Must stay at home and bolt his door
And break his looking-glass.

—Representative Lowery (D), Mississippi.

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WE PAY AND PAY

Big money says, "The war is over. Discontinue the war taxes." Yes, the war is over for the present, but the war debts are not. "The tumult and the shouting dies, the captains and the kings depart," but the $20,000,000 debt is still unpaid and can only be paid by the taxes of this country. An immense portion of those great fortunes was made during the great war while the boys were at the front.

—Representative Little (R), Kansas.

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THEY'LL HAVE DAY

The day will come—and the day will come soon—when the so-called radicals will be in the majority in our American congress.

—Representative Berger, (Socialist), Wisconsin.

Your Money AT WORK

Brief but Important Lessons in Finance, Markets, Stocks, Bonds and Investments

A dollar in hand is worth two in land when your bills come due.

Money acquires most of its value from the fact that it is good anywhere as a medium of exchange. The workman wants his pay in money and not in the product he helps to make because he might not be able to pay the grocery bill by giving the grocer something he has no particular use for, but the grocer will always accept money. An appreciation of this very simple fact has saved many men from a condition of insolvency.

Your estate may amount to much more than your debts, yet if you haven't enough money on hand to pay your debts as they come due, you are practically and legally insolvent! Your worth is invested in something that will not pass freely from hand to hand, and unless you can convert what you have into quick money or borrow more money—it's an expense to do either—your property may be taken and subjected to practically the same procedure as bankruptcy.

Always be sure that enough of your investments are sufficiently "quick"—convertible into cash—to meet obligations coming due.

The Referee

PARASITES

Cunning Egyptians are turning out tons of fake antiques, selling them to tourists attracted to the Nile country by King Tut's tomb in the Valley of the Kings. A favorite counterfeit is the scarab, representing ancient beetles.

Wherever you find the real thing, you find imitations nearby. Wherever producers toil, parasites hover close at hand. In life are two classes—producers and fakers. It seems to be part of nature's system of checks and balances.

HUSBANDS

In far-off Tibet, Chinese dependency, Explorer Mellovern finds a paradise for women. In this paradise, high up in the mountain passes, there are 50 men to every woman. No woman is too homely to have less than a dozen suitors, and a woman usually has seven husbands.

Nature strives to balance the population. "One generation of children will restore the sex balance in Tibet, unless the situation is due to the old Chinese custom of eliminating most of the girl babies.

BEGIN HERE TODAY

Colonel Holles, soldier and adventurer, returns to England, the land of his birth, when war is declared with Holland. He comes to lodge with Martha Quinn, hostess of the Paul's Head, in Paul's Yard, London.

It is difficult for the colonel to secure a commission in the English army because the name of Randal Holles, father of the colonel, is on the warrant for the execution of the late king. His Grace of Albemarle, friend of the colonel, promises Holles a position in the army.

Martha Quinn proposes marriage to the colonel and tells him that she is a wealthy widow willing to bestow upon him her worldly goods. Holles refuses Martha's offer and prepares to call on Albemarle. His Grace of Buckingham, accompanied by Sir Harry Stanhope, is having audience with Albemarle.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

He had been instantly admitted to that pleasant wainscoted room overlooking the Park in which His Grace of Albemarle transacted business. Wide as the poles as were the two dukes asunder, the exquisite libertine and the dour soldiery yet cordial relations prevailed between them. Whilst correct and circumspect in his own ways of life, Monk was utterly without bigotry and as utterly without prejudices on the score of morals. Under his dour taciturnity, and for all that upon occasion he could be as brave as a lion, yet normally he was of the meekness of a lamb, combined with a courteous aloofness, which, if it earned him few devoted friends, earned him still fewer enemies. As a man gives, so he receives; and Monk, being very sparing both of his love and his hate, rarely excited either passion in others. He was careful not to make enemies, but never at pains to make friends.

"I desire your leave to present to your grace my very good friend Sir Harry Stanhope, a deserving young soldier for whom I solicit your grace's good offices."

Albemarle had heard of Sir Harry as one of the most dissolute young profligates about the Court, and, observing him now, his grace concluded that the gentleman's appearance did justice to his reputation. It was the first time that he had heard him described as a soldier, and the description awakened his surprise. But of this he betrayed nothing. Coldly he inclined his head in response to the diving bow with which Sir Harry honored him.

"There is no need to solicit my good offices for any friend of your grace's," he answered, coldly courteous. "A chair, your grace, Sir Harry!" He waved the fop to the second and lesser of the two chairs that faced his writing-table. "Will your grace acquaint me how I may have the honor of being of service?"

"Sir Harry," said Buckingham, leaning back in his armchair, and throwing one faultlessly stockinged leg over the other, "desires, for certain reasons of his own, to see the world."

Albemarle had no illusions as to what those reasons were.

"But Sir Harry," Buckingham was resuming after the slightest of pauses, "is commendably moved by the wish to render his absence from England to profit to His Majesty."

"In short," said Albemarle, translating bruspely, for he could not repress a certain disdain, "Sir Harry desires an appointment overseas."

"And the character of this appointment?" Albemarle inquired tonelessly.

"A military character would be best suited to Sir Harry's tastes and qualities. He has the advantage of some military experience. He held for a time a commission in the Guards."

"In the Guards!" thought Albemarle. "My God! What a recommendation!" But his expression said nothing. Aloud, at length, he made answer: "Very well. I will bear in mind your grace's application on Sir Harry's behalf, and when a suitable position offers . . ."

"But it offers now," Buckingham interjected languidly.

"Indeed?" The black brows went up, wrinkling the heavy forehead. "I am not aware of it."

"There is this command in Bombay, which has fallen vacant through the death of poor Macartney. I heard of it last night at Court. You are forgetting that, I think. It is an office eminently suitable to Sir Harry here."

Albemarle was frowning. He pondered a moment; but only because it was ever his way to move slowly. Then he gently shook his head and pursed his heavy lips.

"I have also to consider, your grace, whether Sir Harry is eminently suitable to the office, and, to be quite frank, and with all submission, I must say that I cannot think so."

Buckingham was taken aback. He stared haughtily at Albemarle. "I don't think I understand," he said.

Albemarle fetched a sigh, and proceeded to explain himself.

"For this office—one of considerable responsibility—we require a soldier of tried experience and character. Sir Harry is no doubt endowed with many commendable qualities, but at his age it is impossible that he should have gained the experience without which he could not possibly discharge to advantage the onerous duties which would await him. Nor is that the only obstacle, your grace. I have not only chosen my man—and such a man as I have described—but I have already offered, and he has already accepted, the commission. So that post can no longer be considered vacant."

"But the commission was signed only last night by His Majesty—signed in blank, as I have reason to know."

"True. But I am none the less pledged. I am expecting at any moment now, the gentleman upon whom the appointment is already conferred."

Buckingham did not dissemble his annoyance. "May one inquire his name?" he asked, and the question was a demand.

Albemarle hesitated. He realized the danger to Holles in naming him at this unfortunate juncture. "His name would not be known to your grace. He is a comparatively obscure soldier, whose merits, however, are fully known to me, and I am persuaded that a fitter man for the office could not be found. But something else will, no doubt, offer within a few days, and then . . ."

Buckingham interrupted him arrogantly.

"It is not a question of something else, your grace, but of this. I have already obtained His Majesty's sanction. If your grace requires more explicit instruction I shall be happy to obtain you His Majesty's commands in writing."

Albemarle was checkmated. He sat there grim and impassive as if he were carved of stone. But his mind was a seething cauldron of anger. It was always thus. The places of trust—the positions demanding experienced heads and able hands that England might be served to the best advantage by her most meritorious sons, were constantly being flung away upon the worthless parasites that flocked about Charles' lecherous Court. And he was the more angered here, because his hands were tied against resistance by the very identity of the man he was appointing. Had it been a question of any other man of Holles' soldiery merit, but of such antecedents as would permit the disclosure of his name, he would clap on his hat and step across to the palace to argue the matter with the King. And he would know how to conduct the argument so as to prevail against the place-seeking insolence of Buckingham. But, as it was, he was forced to realize that he could do none of this without perhaps ploughing Holles and bringing heavy censure fruitlessly upon himself. "Oddsfish!" the King would cry. "Do you tell me to my face that you prefer the son of a regicide to the friend of my friend?" And what should he answer then?

He lowered his eyes. The commission which was the subject of this discussion lay there on the table before him, the space which the name of Randal Holles was intended to occupy still standing blank. He was defeated, and he had best, for the sake of Holles as much as for his own, accept the situation without further argument.

"Since you have His Majesty's authority, there can be, of course, no further question."

Rapidly, his quill scratching and spluttering across the sheet, he filled in the name of Sir Harry Stanhope, bitterly considering that he might as profitably have filled in Nell Gwynn's. He dusted the thick writing with pounce, and proffered it without another word. But his looks were heavy.

Buckingham rose, smiling, and Sir Harry bounced up with him, smiling also. For the first and last time in the course of that short interview Sir Harry spoke.

"Your grace's devoted servant," he professed himself, bowing and smirking. "I shall study to discharge my office creditably, and to allay any qualms my youth may leave in your grace's mind."

"And youth," said Buckingham, smiling, to reassure Albemarle, "is a fault that time invariably corrects."

Albemarle rose slowly to his feet, and the others bowed themselves out of his presence.

Then he sat down again heavily, took his head in his hands, and softly loosed an oath.

Holles came an hour later, radiant with expectation, a gay, youthful-looking, commanding figure in his splendid red coat, to be crushed by the news that proved him Fortune's fool again, as ever.

But he bore it well on the face of him, however deeply the iron was thrust into his soul. It was Albemarle who inveighed in most unmeasured terms against the corrupt influence of the Court and the havoc it was working.

"It needed a man for this office and they have constrained me to give it to a fribble, a dolly in breeches, a painted dawcock."

Holles remembered Tucker's denunciations of the present government and began to realize at last how right he was and how justified he and his associates might be of their conviction that the people were ready to rise and sweep this Augean stable clean.

Albemarle was seeking to comfort him with fresh hope. No doubt something else would offer soon.

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A clergyman from Cambridge, Mass., had occasion to preach to the inmates of an insane hospital. During the sermon he noticed that one of the patients paid the closest attention, his eyes riveted upon the preacher's face, his body bent eagerly forward. Such interest was most flattering. After the service, the speaker noticed that the man spoke to the superintendent, so as soon as possible the preacher inquired:

"Didn't that man speak to you about my sermon?"

"Yes."

"Would you mind telling me what he said?"

The superintendent tried to sidestep, but the preacher insisted.

"Well," he said at last, "What the man said was, 'Just think, he's out and I'm in.'"—Christian Register.

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THE NEWS' SOCIAL AND HOUSEHOLD PAGE

Teapot Dome for Women? Maybe! They're Not Immune, Says Leader

WASHINGTON, Feb. 29.—In days to come, when women in considerable numbers sit in the national House of Representatives, when women senators' votes are worth the "interests'" while to pull strings for, when women hold cabinet portfolios—

Is there a risk that women office-holders will be mixed up in some future Teapot Dome scandal?

"Possibly," says Mrs. Maud Wood Park, president of the National League of Women Voters.

Not but what Mrs. Park feels sure politics will be far cleaner for women's participation—"because," she points out, "we have not yet got into the period of discouragement, as so many good men have. We are hopeful, believing things can be done."

Newcomers

"Women, too, make sharper distinctions than men between right and wrong. A thing is black or white to them. There is no area of gray.

"Nor have women been exposed to political temptation, as men have."

Doesn't it stand to reason, that at least for a while, the infusion of this new element will improve the political mixture? Certainly it will Mrs. Park answers.

Yes, for a while!

"In Time!"

But in time, as woman's political influence increases, as it becomes worth buying, with the inevitable attempt to buy it, won't the women degenerate into the "practical" type of politicians—and then won't the danger exist of some such painful spectacle as women involved in a Teapot Dome scandal?

"Well," admits Mrs. Park, "the millennium isn't with us yet."

Still, Mrs. Park's view is hopeful. "The child, political ethics," she explains, "like every child, needs two parents. Hitherto it has been half an orphan.

"A child's ideas of right and wrong generally are the ideas his mother gives him—but not, in the past, his ideas of right and wrong in politics. For them he has turned to his father. It was a subject concerning which his mother, denied a part in politics, knew nothing.

MRS. MAUD WOOD PARK

"Now the father's ideas were his father's, and his father's fathers' before him.

"And it was their idea, generally speaking, that there was a difference between what was the individual's and what was the government's—that what belonged to the state belonged to nobody—to anybody who could get it.

"With the franchise, women will teach that what belongs to the public belongs, not to nobody, or to anybody, but to everybody, and that it is robbing everybody to take it."

Nevertheless, Mrs. Park refuses to guarantee that there will be no women political grafters.

Tailored Suit, Tucked Bosom Shirt, and the Ascot Tie Are Back

WHILE you are watching for the first robin don't forget to look for the suit you are going to blossom forth in this spring. Suit? Why, certainly. Suits are back and are the real sensational outstanding features of the new season, speaking sartorially. It has been years and years since every woman, who made any pretension whatever to keeping in style, started out each new season with a suit. The suits which women and girls have worn for the past few years have been fancy ones, with Balkan or Eton jackets, made with sashes and elaborate sleeves and much trimming, not a bit like a genuine tailored suit.

But the suits for spring 1924 are the smartest, best looking things that have been introduced to fashion devotees for a long, long time. They are tailored to the very limit; they are made of men's wear fabrics, hair line striped navies and blacks; invisible checks and plaids, plain tan chartreuses, which look like glorified covert cloth. All of these suits are not make in the same style, but they all bear the same earmarks, trim, semi-fitting short jacket, single or double breasted, slightly nipped in at the waist, long sleeves, slot pockets and inconspicuously fastened with plain buttons.

On such suits workmanship counts for a whole lot. The plainer the suit the more essential it is to have unquestionable tailoring and handwork. The suit has arrived. Its accessories are a tailored blouse, a gardenia in the buttonhole, a rhinestone fob in the pocket, short ruffled gloves and stick if one wishes.

The skirts of the new suits are almost without exception wrap-arounds, very plain and untrimmed, sometimes having slot or small patch pockets.

For years efforts have been made twice yearly to bring back the suit. Now the efforts have succeeded and women are welcoming it back with both arms in its long tight sleeves. Of course with the suits have come the smartest of blouses, for the blouse, too, has taken an added importance. No tailored suit would be complete without a shirt, and so blouses have changed to shirts. These shirts are so cute and clever. Made with stiff tucked bosoms, and boyish round collars, they are fascinating as can be. On some appear the funny little flap that used to be such a useless part of men's shirts.

Ascot Tie Returns

Another thing for which we can thank the tailored suit is the handsome again of smart ascot ties. You will see them worn with frocks but they are especially nifty with suits. You remember ascot ties, don't you? The ones now worn often are made of a folded Deauville handkerchief, although they may be made of any gay-colored printed silk, providing the silk is soft enough to drape prettily.

There are two ways in which these ties may be worn. The most approved one is to arrange the fold of silk so that the two ends are at the back of the neck. Cross them over, bring around to the front, draw one end over the other, just like a stock. Spread the silk out, and fasten with a pearl tie pin. So you see the stock brings back the pin, which has been quite out of it the last year or two.

And there are clever little straw hats trimmed with a twin of the ascot silk. The same silk as that of the tie is used to drape and face a little straw cloche, and the effect with plain suit or frock is delicious. One such set has the scarfs of shades of bright yellow, while another is more subdued, with blues and grays predominating.

Calendar of Events

FRIDAY

Dance at the Gulf Club; 9 o'clock. Music by Moody's Gloom Chaser's orchestra.
Friday Bridge Club with Mrs. Dean Dorchester, 1553 Lake Shore drive.
Klatter Klub with Mrs. S. C. Dunlop, 2748 Eighth street; 2:30 o'clock.
Rebekahs meet at the Odd Fellows hall; 8 o'clock.
"We Are Sixes" Club meets with Miss Fern Glidden, 1901 Seventh street; 7 o'clock.
Royal Neighbors meet at the hall in the Hartford building; 7:30 o'clock.
The Reading Club will meet at the Department Club; 3 o'clock.
Missionary Society's birthday party at First Christian church; 2:30 to 4:30 o'clock.
Council of Jewish Women bridge party with Mrs. J. Jacobs, 3022 Seventh street; 2 o'clock.
Friday Bridge Club at dinner and bridge with Mrs. George Imhoff, 1635 Lake Shore Drive; 7 o'clock.
Epworth League's entertains with Leap Year party at First Methodist Episcopal church; 7:30 o'clock.

SATURDAY

Department Club; 7:45 o'clock.
Texas Ex-Students' banquet at the Miss Beulah Floy Bledsoe entertains at bridge for guest, Miss Keene Hoering of Cleveland, Ohio, 2109 Lake Shore drive.
Saturday Bridge Club with Miss Louise McWhorter, Fifth street; 2:30 o'clock.
Intermediate Epworth League entertains with Leap Year party at First M. E. church, South; 7:30 o'clock.

SHRINERS HAVE DANCE THURSDAY

One hundred and fifty Shriners and their ladies enjoyed the Shriners' dance at the Plaza last evening, when Moody's Gloom Chasers orchestra furnished delightful melodies for their entertainment.

The El Mina Patrol of Beaumont were guests of the local Shriners last evening. The main dining room of the Plaza presented an attractive scene for the affair, with the patriotic colors of red, white and blue giving elaborate adornment for the decorative theme.

MINNEHAHA CAMPFIRE NOT TO MEET SATURDAY

The Minnehaha Campfire will hold no meeting Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. Welch, 1701 Eighth street, on account of conflicting events. This announcement was made by the guardian, Mrs. Welch.

MISS WEAHMYER AND MR. WEBSTER ARE WED

The wedding of Miss Amelia Weahmyer and Mr. Arthur Webster was solemnized last evening at 7 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Weahmyer, with services read by the Rev. F. W. Seiblitz, pastor of the Trinity Lutheran church, in the presence of a few friends and relatives.

The bride wore a becoming frock of copenhagen blue crepe. The groom is an employe of the Gulf Refining company.

Mr. and Mrs. Webster are making their home at 847 Thirteenth street.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY SOCIAL POSTPONED

On account of the bereavement in the homes of Mrs. C. T. Baker and Mrs. C. H. Barnes, the monthly social meeting of the Missionary Society of the First M. E. Church, South, which was to have been held yesterday afternoon at Mrs. Barnes' home has been postponed indefinitely.

WILDCATS AND ESCORTS ENJOY PLEASING AFFAIR

Some of the Wildcats and their escorts enjoyed a frolic at the home of the Mother Wildcat, Mrs. C. E. Hoag, 1701 Sixth street, last evening. During the earlier part of the evening Mah-Jongg and bridge were enjoyed, following which dancing gave diversion.

Delicious refreshments were served and enjoyed by Misses Letta Lou Humphreys, Carrie A. Terrier, Rita Thompson, Lois Mathis, Jane Duncan, Frankie Moore, Ruby Edmonds, and Lydia Gene Phelan; Messrs. Chandler Hoag, Earl Fuller, Tom Kelley, E. Duncan, D. J. DeCoty, Lloyd Hanchett, B. Watson, A. Windham, and M. Davis; and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hoag.

MRS. GUIDRY GIVEN SURPRISE SHOWER

Mrs. J. R. Guidry was tendered an enjoyable surprise miscellaneous shower Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. A. Patin and a number of friends at Mrs. Patin's home, 801 Thirteenth street. Interesting games and contests were enjoyed during the afternoon. Mrs. Guidry received many lovely gifts. Tasty refreshments were served.

Enjoying the occasion were Mrs. Emil DeJean, Mrs. A. J. DeJean, Mrs. Louis Prince, Mrs. O. Tronard, Mrs. Louis Perior Miss Eddy Marion Mrs. Nathan Foreman Mrs. J. Monton Mrs. A. N. Grantham Mrs. A. Patin, and Mrs. J. R. Guidry.

RECEPTION OF CAMPFIRE GIRLS IS POSTPONED

The reception which was to have been given the campfire girls on Monday evening, has been postponed until the Friday following Easter Sunday, Mrs. A. F. Graham, president of the Department Club announced today.

The postponement was made on account of the inability of the campfire girls to prepare the ceremonial, which was to have been given for the entertainment of the club women. During Lent the girls will have an opportunity of completing their ceremonial gowns and preparing an elaborate public ceremonial for the postponed date.

ST. GEORGE'S AUXILIARY HOLDS MEET THURSDAY

St. George's Auxiliary met in a short business session at the rectory yesterday afternoon, at which time the members discussed the work to be taken up during the Lenten season, and voted to send a box to the Leper colony in China.

Those present yesterday were Mrs. N. W. Keith, Mrs. M. E. Jennis, Mrs. S. C. Collin, Mrs. Dermody, Mrs. T. T. Fitzgerald, Mrs. G. H. Eubank, Mrs. B. H. Davison, Mrs. Anna Sherman, Mrs. N. M. Neilsen, Mrs. Heins, Mrs. Thomas F. Brooks, Mrs. J. G. Glasgow, Mrs. John Rideut, Mrs. E. P. Tucker, Mrs. C. H. Fitz-Gerald, Mrs. A. N. Peckham, Mrs. Frank Smith, Mrs. M. J. Printon, Mrs. Dick Richardson and Mrs. Smyth.

DEPARTMENT CLUB ACKNOWLEDGES GIFTS

The Department Club announces the donation of a load of big wood for the large fireplace at the club house from H. W. McCorkle, 3141 Seventh street. Mrs. A. F. Graham, president of the Department Club, said this morning.

Mrs. Louise Dryden has donated toward the furnishing of the Campfire Girl's room at the Department Club a handsome walnut table. The campfire girls have a room at the club home for their meetings, and this room is being furnished in accord with the other furnishings of the home. The table is a gift greatly appreciated by the campfire girls, Mrs. Graham stated.

OVER ONE SIDE

The scarf which ties on the side and has long ends falling from the shoulder is very smart.

Legionnaires And Auxiliary Have Enjoyable Event

The entertainment given by the American Legion Auiliary last evening at the Gulf Club was most enjoyable and was attended by a large number of Legionnaires and their f[illegible]

Cards and dancing furnished diversion for the evening and at the close of the games the ladies' prize was awarded to Mrs. A. L. Carter and the gentleman's to Mr. M. P. Folse. Booby fell to A. L. Carter. Miss Marie LeMaster captivated her hearers with two reading and M. D. Carter rendered two violin numbers, accompanied by Mrs. I. A. Durke. Frozen punch was served throughout the evening.

The personnel included Misses Carrie Terrier, Marie LeMaster, Ethel King, Minerva Mays, Ada Terrier, Alice Burneston, Maude Terrier, Blanche Taylor, Mary Donaldson and Miss Malone; Messrs. William T. Donaldson, L. B. Kramer, A. L. Caughlin, Carl Garner, Walter McCorkle and Donald Barron, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. LeBlanc, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Burch, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Blalock, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Pagel, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Dowdy, Mr. and Mrs. James Roscoe, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Folse, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brennen, Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Deason, Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Welch, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Paschal, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Haltom, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Boedige, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Azwell, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Durke, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Caldwell, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Hay, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Goss and Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Darden.

HOW FAT ACTRESS WAS MADE SLIM

Many stage people now depend entirely upon Marmola Prescription Tablets for reducing and controlling fat. One clever actress tells that she reduced steadily and easily by using this new form of the famous Marmola Prescription, and now, by taking Marmola Prescription Tablets several times a year, keeps her weight just right. All good druggists sell Marmola Prescription Tablets at one dollar for a box or if you prefer you can secure them direct from the Marmola Co., 4612 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Mich. If you have not tried them do so. They are harmless and effective.

BERRY'S FATE GOES TO JURY

Alleged Assailant of Sneed Knows Verdict Soon

BENJAMIN, Texas, Feb. 29.—The case of C. E. Berry, charged with assault with intent to murder in connection with the shooting of John Beal Sneed, was expected to go to the jury today.

Sneed took the stand and told his version of the shooting. He said he was about to enter his car parked on a street in Paducah when he was fired on from ambush with a shotgun.

Charlie Ellis, testifying in behalf of Berry, said that Sneed had a gun in his hand at the time of the shooting. Sneed was acquitted by a jury Wednesday of similar charges in connection with a shooting of Berry.

Relief Between the Toes!

is relieved quickly by applying a piece of cotton, saturated in Imperial Eczema Remedy, to affected parts at bedtime. All druggists are authorized to refund your money if it fails.—Adv.

Mothers— AND THEIR CHILDREN

Where Correction Begins

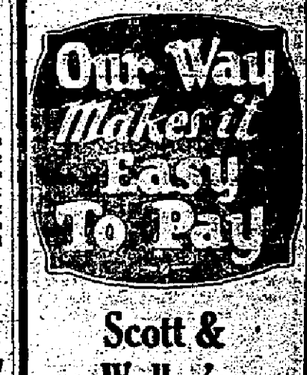
One Mother says:

One of the first things parents should learn is that correction, like charity, begins at home. This is courteous not only to the child, but to the hostess, also. There is nothing more embarrassing to a hostess than to have a child constantly corrected and scolded in her presence.

THE KISS THAT WON'T COME OFF

CLEVELAND, O., Feb. 29.—An indelible lipstick is the latest stride in beauty progress. Gone are the days of those red giveaway signs—no longer do you have to explain the smudges about the upper lip as a slip of the razor.

"It won't come off, not until it wears off," says Miss Margaret Smith, beauty specialist. The new stuff is a liquid lip rouge. So down-trodden males, if you must kiss, look for the girl with the liquid lipstick.



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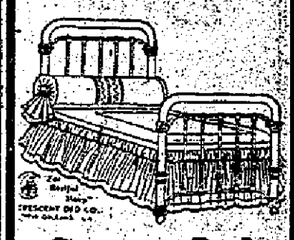

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For a short time only we are making a special price on the wonderful Crescent bed. You can't afford to miss this rare bargain. The bed has two-inch posts and is composed of metal. Comes in many colors and designs.

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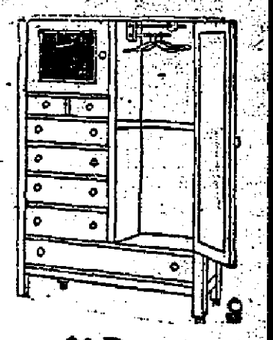
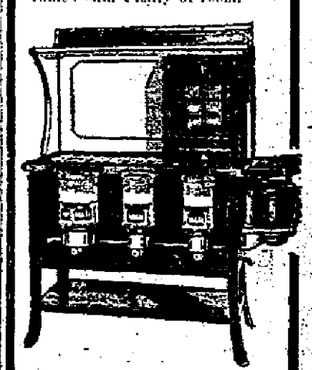


$1 Down For a Chifforobe

Fine looking, durable and convenience itself are these handsome chifforobes we are featuring at this time. You ought to have one in your home. Come in walnut, golden and fumed oak. Plenty of room.



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I offer you what brought it
By Edna Wallace Hopper

My hair is the envy of thousands who see it, on the stage and elsewhere. It is heavy, silky, lustrous—far finer than 40 years ago. I have never had falling hair or dandruff, never a touch of gray. Yet my age is 62.

I owe this to a formula which French experts made for me. I have supplied it to many friends. It has brought to me—luxuriant heads of hair. Now, by countless requests, I am placing this formula within every woman's reach. Men are also welcome to it.

Us an eye dropper

I call this formula my Hair Youth. One applies it with an eye dropper, directly to the scalp. Apply just enough to dampen the scalp. This takes but a minute and it does not muss the hair.

It attacks the hardened oil and dandruff, which stifle the hair roots. It cleans the scalp, stimulates and fertilizes. Then hair flourishes (as flowers thrive in a well-kept garden.

Hair troubles come from stifled hair roots. Gray hair comes from lack of pigment. The way to prevent these troubles, to make hair thrive, is to cultivate the scalp. The best ways science knows to do that are embodied in Hair Youth.

Worth a fortune

My Hair Youth has been worth a fortune to me. My hair is now, and always has been, my chief glory. I have so many friends who obtained like results, that I count this formula a boon which all should have. So I have placed it at every woman's call.

Edna Wallace Hopper's Hair Youth is now supplied by all druggists and toilet counters. Price 50c and $1 with eye dropper. They also supply my Youth Cream. Also my Facial Youth—my famous liquid cleanser. Also my White Youth Clay—the last word in facial clays. My Beauty Book comes with each.

See what my Hair Youth does for your hair. You will be delighted. Then I think you will want the other helps which did so much for me. Edna Wallace Hopper, 536 Lake Shore Drive, Chicago.—Adv.

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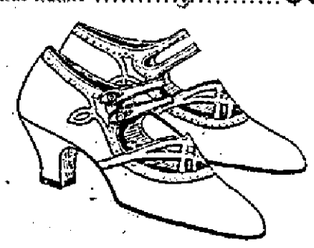

Another New Style

The above illustration is one of Spring's newer models in gray suede. It carries 14-8th Spanish heel, and has new medium toe, exactly as pictured $11.00

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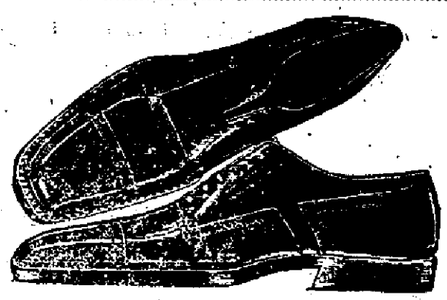

New Snappy Shoes

From C. B. Slater in Many New Spring Styles Have Just Arrived

Shoes that not only fit your feet, but also have that really snappy appearance that you so much desire are here in plenty. All the new widths, lasts, and styles are now ready for your early spring selection. There is a range of prices that will meet your demands.

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REED ATTACKS PRES. COOLIDGE

Declares Executive Is Playing Politics

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 29.—Senator James A. Reed, addressing a crowd of ten thousand in his home city here last night, declared "if President Coolidge doesn't show a disposition to clean up the corrupt conditions in our national politics, he will shrivel up until nobody will support him for president."

"Mr. Coolidge has not shown himself courageous. Pretty soon it will look as though he is playing cheap politics rather than showing a disposition to restore this nation to the custody of the people."

Reed, who is fighting against William G. McAdoo for the Missouri delegation in the national democratic convention, challenged McAdoo to meet him in debate in either Kansas City or St. Louis.

"I will hire the hall, pay for the band, give him half the time and we will talk about oil," shouted Reed.

CONFEDERATE VETERAN TELLS ABOUT PRISONS

LA GRANGE, N. C., Feb. 29.—Joseph Kinsey, a superintendent emeritus of public schools, preceptor to more notables of this generation than any other man in the southeast, has published the first installment of his memoirs as a Confederate officer.

Sixty years ago Kinsey was a prisoner of war on Johnson's Island, near Sandusky, O. "That was the coldest place I ever visited," he said. "The January after I arrived there the mercury dropped to 33 degrees below zero. That was many, many degrees colder than I had ever known it in the south. That January found me clad in the same uniform I had worn on the South Carolina coast the previous August."

The prison on Johnson's Island was a large affair, Kinsey recalls. There were 2,300 prisoners there. These were housed in more than a dozen large buildings, the latter surrounded by a wall 15 feet high. "I found many Confederate celebrities there, including a major-general, who had lost a leg in battle, and Generals Archer, of Maryland; Jeff Thompson, of Missouri, and Beall, of Arkansas.

HE CHARGES ARREST FOLLOWS FRAME UP

HOUSTON, Feb. 29.—Morris Nodler, arrested here on charges of having robbed Jules Joergen, Los Angeles jeweler of jewels valued at $875, declared his arrest was a "frameup" and that he would fight extradition.

Dye that is claimed to make woolens moth proof has been invented by German textile chemists.

'Old Regulars' Will Name Mrs. Thomson

NEW ORLEANS, La., Feb. 29.—Mrs. James Thomson, daughter of Champ Clark of Missouri, will be endorsed next week as the "old regulars'" candidate to serve out the unexpired term of Congressman Garland Dupree, who died last week, according to reports today.

The caucus of the "old regulars" here late yesterday, called mainly for the purpose of choosing state delegates and alternates to the central committee, did not bring up Mrs. Thomson's nomination. Another meeting is scheduled for Saturday and after this Mrs. Thomson's name is expected to be brought to the front as a candidate.

Reporter Jailed, Keeps on Writing

WAUKEGAN, Ills., Feb. 29.—Ralph L. King, assistant city editor of the Daily Sun, was doing business as usual today in his cell in the county jail here. Undaunted by a sentence of 30 days for contempt of court, King last night moved his typewriter to the cell, installed a radio outfit and is pounding out his stories.

An office boy has been attached to the cell to run King's copy to the office. King said his salary had been doubled for the jail period.

He was sentenced for contempt of court when he refused to divulge to a grand jury the source of information of a story.

Bootlegger's Charity Puts Man in Jail

HOUSTON, Feb. 29.—A father of six children lay in jail here today because of a bootlegger's charity.

Raiding a home here late Thursday, county investigators Clarence Hindes and J. P. Gillespie found two gallons of whisky.

"I was out of work," the father explained. "I had no money and my six small children had not eaten for more than a day. A friend left the whisky for me to sell."

The father was taken away but money was left with the mother to buy the little tots food.

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LETTER FROM BEATRICE GRIMSHAW TO LESLIE PRESCOTT

Your letter, my dear Leslie, was full of the most astounding news. First, I was greatly surprised that Dick told you we had broken our engagement. You notice I say "we," for although I think the idea was put into words by me, I am sure the thought was in Dick's brain long before I voiced it.

I have come to the conclusion, dear, all of our traditions in regard to the sexes, their psychologies, their proclivities and their real place in life are wrong.

I had always believed a man kept his secrets, especially where it was a love secret, but here I find Dick talking over the breaking of our engagement with you quite calmly. Rather ridiculous—isn't it?

The more I see of them—and the more I hear about them—the nearer I come to thinking there is no particular difference between men and women. Men's animal qualities may be a little stronger, but in all human and psychological attributes they are the same.

What you say about Paula Perier is also most astonishing. I remember hear when I visited in Albany some years ago. She was then thought to be extremely beautiful, but an extremely frivolous girl. Much was forgiven her because she had to earn her own living. Many of her sensational actions were excused because she was French.

I cannot imagine her anything like you describe as "a woman who has come out of the fiery furnace of suffering, refined and made better."

That's all right, my dear, as far as it goes. If experience does not make us better it always makes us worse. There is no such thing as a character standing still, you know.

However, I'm afraid I would never have invited that woman to my house if I thought the child I had adopted was the child she had abandoned. I do not consider myself below the average woman in sympathy and understanding, Leslie, but honestly I never could have sympathized enough with Paula Perier to ask her to take that child in her arms, knowing all the time she was its mother.

I guess I'm old-fashioned, Leslie, but I still have a kind of queer feeling when I meet—as one does often lately—a woman who through a great love or a great mistake has strayed from the strict path of virtue.

I sometimes wonder if that crown of glory has been lost entirely that was always supposed to have been the halo surrounding the virtuous woman. Nowadays we seem to make no diference between her and her unchaste sister.

When you take away the feeling that a spotless reputation is nothing particularly to be desired, you take away the foundation of society.

Probably Dick and I would never have hit it off together after his movie experience. I should always feel I could not trust him. I should always feel he was probably keeping something in his mind very different from that which he was telling me.

I am glad, however, you saw him and told me all about it. It breaks another link of the chain between us.

Lovingly,
BEE.

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TOMORROW: Sally Atherton to Beatrice Grimshaw — Uninteresting goodness.

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CORN	Arctic Brand No. 2 can	9C
SOAP	Octagon Large bar	5½C
EGGS	Fresh Yard per dozen	25C
COCOANUT	Schepp's 1-4 lb package	11C

At Meat Market

ROAST	Beef Rib per pound	15C
PAN SAUSAGE	per pound	15C

Fruit and Vegetable Department

Irish Potatoes per peck	30c
Yams, per peck	38c
Medium size oranges per dozen	16c
Lemons, per dozen	13c
Winesap Apples, per dozen	14c

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Know the truth about bran! To be efficacious, to give you sought-for relief, bran must be ALL BRAN! Foods with a part bran content cannot be considered as a relief for constipation sufferers! These foods do not have the bulk or "roughage" to drive out the conditions that are undermining your health!

What you need for 100 per cent relief is 100 per cent bran, and that is what you get when you buy Kellogg's Bran—IT IS ALL BRAN! And it is 100 per cent efficient, as your physician will tell you!

Kellogg's Bran, all cooked, krumbled and ready to eat, is delicious as a cereal or used in baking and cooking. Eat two tablespoonfuls daily, or as much with each meal in chronic cases—and rid yourself of constipation and the toxic poisons that lead to many of the most dreaded human ailments!

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Using Snowdrift in your own favorite recipe is the best way to find out how good Snowdrift is. Remember to add salt because Snowdrift is sweet, fresh, and unsalted—and use about three-quarters as much Snowdrift as you would butter.

MISS WHITFIELD'S *recipe for* SNOWDRIFT CAKE

¾ cup Snowdrift (substitute ¾ as much Snowdrift as butter in any recipe)
1½ cups sugar
3 whole eggs or 4 whites
3 cups flour
4 teaspoonfuls baking powder
½ teaspoonful salt
1 cup milk
1 teaspoonful vanilla

Cream Snowdrift, using wooden spoon and round bottomed mixing bowl, add sugar and cream. Add eggs and beat well, then stir in vanilla and salt. Sift flour with baking powder several times, and add to creamed mixture alternately with milk. Pour into greased loaf cake pan and bake in moderate oven or pour into layer pans and bake at a higher temperature. Ice with any desired icing or filling.

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FOUR VESSELS DUE TOMORROW

Week-End Shipping Will Be Active

Four vessels scheduled to arrive in Port Arthur Saturday and a fifth slated to finish taking part cargo at Beaumont and shift to the Texas Company's terminals here indicate that the port's shipping will "come in like a lion" on the first day of March, shipping men here said today.

Vessels announced today as coming in Saturday are the cargo ship Kenovis, from New Orleans; the Texas Company's tankers Roanoke and Harvester; the Transmarine corporation's steamship Suncisco, from Port Newark; and the West Hesseltine, taking part cargo of lumber at Beaumont, will shift to Port Arthur tomorrow, according to word from Sydney C. Collin and company, agents for the vessel.

Before going out today, the Norwegian steamship La Habra stopped in Port Arthur for a short time to have a pump loaded on board. The tanker is destined for a German port with a cargo of oil loaded at the Magnolia Petroleum company's terminals at Magpetco.

The U. S. naval tanker Brazos, sailing for U. S. naval stations with a cargo of fuel oil, and the British steamship Islemoor, bound for South Africa, sailed from Beaumont early today. With the exception of the Texas Company's tanker Pennsylvania going up to Port Neches to finish discharging cargo, no sailings were reported out of Port Arthur.

ARRIVED FEBRUARY 29

Vessel, Flag, Tonnage, Agent, Location.

Sch. Blakely, 1731, from Mobile to Port Arthur, Texas Company.

War Nizam (Br), 2435, from U. K. ports to Port Arthur, Chas. Martin company.

Nishmaha, 3726, from Galveston to Beaumont, Lykes-Sgitcovich.

SAILED FEBRUARY 29

La Habra (Nor), 4438, from Port Neches for Germany, Magnolia company.

Islemoor (Br), 2465, from Beaumont for South Africa, Standard Export company.

U. S. S. Brazos, U. S. N., from Beaumont for Sabine, Magnolia company.

Pennsylvania, 5048, from Port Arthur for Port Neches, Texas Company.

IN PORT ARTHUR

Coastwise Docks

Suphenco, 2174, Transmarine corporation.

Texas Company Docks

Sch. Blakely, 1731, Texas Company.

Sch. Hope Sherwood, 522, Texas Company.

Gulf Company Docks

Winifred, 1510, Gulf company.

Gulfoil, 3202, Gulf company.

Rapallo (Ital), 3944, E. Papich.

War Nizam (Br), 2435, Chas. Martin company.

Ship Basin

Ship Marion Chilcott, 1510, Chas. Martin company.

Slip No. 2

Bark S. G. Wilder, 559, laid up.

Brig Geneva, 452, Munger T. Ball.

AT PORT NECHES

Pennsylvania, 5048, Texas Company.

AT ORANGE

Eda (Nor), 1090, W. H. Tippin company.

Manzanilla (Cub), 1178, Hall Shipping company.

AT BEAUMONT

O. T. Waring, 3379, Magnolia company.

Surico, 2174, Transmarine corporation.

West Hesseltine, 3466, Sydney C. Collin company.

Nishmaha, 3729, Lykes-Sgitcovich.

VESSELS DUE TO ARRIVE

Patrick Henry, due Feb. 28 to Lykes-gitcovich.

Kenowis, due Feb. 29, to Lykes-Sgitcovich.

Union City, due March 8 to John E. Jones company.

Dryden, due March 10 to Lykes-Sgitcovich.

Roserio, due March 5, to Texas Company.

Heffron, due March 31, to Lykes-Sgitcovich.

Glove, due April 1, to E. Papich.

BAROMETER READING

The corrected reading of the barometer (reduced to sea level) at the U. S. weather bureau office in Port Arthur, Texas, on Friday, February 29, at 7 a. m. was 30.15 inches. This closely approximates 765.8 millimeters.

COAT OF TALCUM IS ALL THEY WEAR, CLAIM

CHICAGO, Feb. 29.—Mennen and Colgate appear to be only costumers known to many chorus girls in loop theaters, ministers protested to Mayor Dever. The ministers want Dever to force the chorus girls to wear something more than a thin covering of talcum.

Ministers charge that in certain shows the chorus girls appear in the nude. In other shows the girls are innocent of covering above the waist with a few shreds of diaphanous stuff below the waist.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION CLASSES ORGANIZED

A number of Port Arthurians are signed up for a physical education class which C. L. Adams, of Chicago, traveling director of physical education, plans to open here Monday, a representative of Adams said today. Classes in physical education are being conducted by Adams in Orange this week, his representative said.

A baby carriage has been invented in which an infant can be locked securely without discomfort.

Here's What to Eat and—

Lose Weight — Gain Weight

Three large unsweetened stewed prunes, 1 thin slice broiled bacon, 4 ounces lean roast beef, 1 steamed parsnip, 4 tablespoons apple-celery-onion-cottage cheese salad, 1-2 head lettuce, 2 thin slices crisp gluten toast, 1 pint skimmed milk, baked prune pudding.

Total calories, 1225. Protein, 304; fat, .494; carbohydrate, 427. Iron, .0204 gram.

Baked Prune Pudding

Four tablespoons chopped prunes, 3-4 cup gluten flour, 1-4 cup molasses, 1-2 cup sour milk, 1-2 teaspoon soda, 1-4 teaspoon salt, 1-2 teaspoon cinnamon, dash cloves, dash nutmeg.

The pureness of the gluten flour will have much to do with the number of carbohydrate calories.

Dissolve soda in sour milk, add molasses. Mix spices and flour and add to liquid ingredients. Mix well and add prunes. Turn into a buttered mold or small pan and bake 40 minutes in a slow oven. Serve with skimmed milk while warm. This rule makes two servings. Steam to reheat.

Total calories, 719. Protein, 153; fat, 118; carbohydrate, 448. Iron, .0104 gram.

Six large sweetened stewed prunes, 2 slices broiled bacon, 4 cornmeal pancakes, 1 cup split pea soup, 4 ounces roast beef, 2 tablespoons gravy 1 potato baked with meat, 1 steamed parsnip, 4 tablespoons combination salad, 1-2 head lettuce, 4 tablespoons maple sirup, 3 tablespoons butter, 4 tablespoons apple tapioca pudding, 4 tablespoons cream, 1 egg-nog, 2 tablespoons mayonnaise, 2 graham crackers, 2 Parker House rolls, 6 croutons, 1 pint whole milk.

Total calories, 3645. Protein, 460; fat, 1398; carbohydrate, 1787. Iron, .0182 gram.

Combination Salad (Individual)

Two tablespoons chopped apple, 1 tablespoon chopped celery, 1-2 teaspoon minced onion, 2 tablespoons cottage cheese, 2 tablespoons cream, 1 teaspoon currant jelly, 2 tablespoons oil, 1 tablespoon lemon juice, 1-2 teaspoon sugar, salt and paprika.

Combine apple, celery and onion. Add sugar, lemon juice and oil, cover and let stand in a cold place for an hour. Moisten cheese with cream and add first mixture. Stir with a fork to combine and arrange on a bed of lettuce. Top with jelly and put mayonnaise in a lettuce leaf.

Total calories, 277. Protein, 27; fat, 194; carbohydrate, 56. Iron, .003 gram.

BOY SSCOUTS TAKE HIKE THIS EVENING

Boy Scouts of Troop 16, with invited guests who are not Scouts, will meet at St. George's Episcopal church, Fifth street and Stilwell boulevard, at 6 o'clock this afternoon to start on a hike to Bland's Bend at 6:30 p. m., E. R. Clements, Scoutmaster, said today.

Arriving at Bland's Bend, the Scouts with their guests will be treated to a weiner roast, and after an hour around the camp fire, the party will return to Port Arthur, Clements said.

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GALION, Ohio, Feb., 29.—Declaring that he is at last in a "fighting mood," Bishop William Montgomery Brown, Episcopalian, launched an attempt today to "shame the house of bishops out of trying me for the 23 heresies alleged against me in the presentment of the bishops of Vermont, Indiana and West Virginia."

In a letter to Dr. John G. Murray, Baltimore, bishop of Maryland, the bishop delivered a scathing attack on Christian orthodoxism and challenged "any bishop in the house" to say that he believes implicitly in the miracles related in the Bible.

The charges against Bishop Brown are an outgrowth of his radical ideas on religion as set forth in his book "Comunism and Christianism."

Bishop Murray is president of the court which is to try Bishop Brown for heresy.

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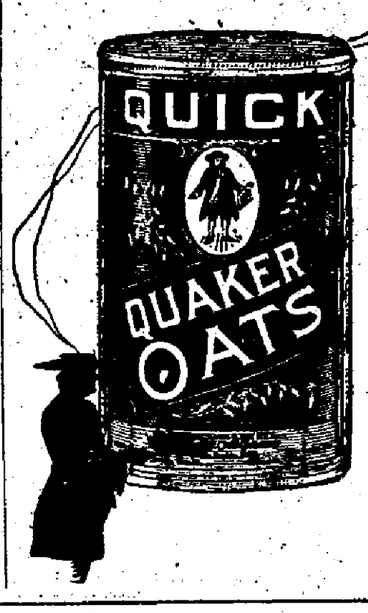

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1 lb tender white trimmed Cauliflower 15c
Solid Green Cabbage, lb 5c
6 lb solid yellow Dry Onions 25c
Peck extra fine sweet Yellow Yams 50c
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Quaker oats per package 09¢
Campbell's pork and beans, per can 09¢
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Battleship spaghetti or macaroni, per package 05¢
1 dozen fresh yard eggs for 56¢

Armour's Lunches Will Be Served All Day Saturday

Come to our store Saturday and as our guest—try some of the many delicious Armstrong's products. Dainty lunches will be served all day Saturday.

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Spider Corn Bread

One and one-half cups corn meal, 2 cups sour milk, 1 teaspoon soda, 1 teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon sugar, 2 eggs, 2 tablespoons butter.

Mix dry ingredients. Beat eggs until very light with a dover beater and gradually beat in milk. Add to dry ingredients slowly, beating constantly. Heat iron frying pan very hot and add butter. Turn spider to cover sides and bottom well with melted butter. Pour in batter and bake 25 minutes in a hot oven. This recipe will serve six persons.

Protein, 186 calories; fat, 573 calories; carbohydrate, 725 calories. Iron, .0152 gram.

Custard Johnnycake

One egg, 1-2 cup sour milk, 1 cup sweet milk, 3-4 cup corn meal, 1-4 cup flour, 2 tablespoons sugar, 1-2 teaspoon salt, 1-2 teaspoon soda, 2 tablespoons butter.

Mix meal, flour, sugar and salt. Add eggs well beaten and sour milk. Dissolve soda in one-half cup sweet milk and add to mixture. Beat well. Melt butter in spider as in preceding recipe and pour in batter. Let stand one minute and add remaining milk. Do not stir. Bake 30 minutes in a hot oven. Serve hot.

Protein, 122 calories; carbohydrate, 520 calories; fat, 427 calories. Iron, .012 gram.

Molasses Corn Bread

One and one-quarter cups corn meal, 1-2 cup flour, 4 scant teaspoons baking powder, 1 teaspoon salt, 1-3 cup molasses, 2-3 cup milk, 1 egg, 1 tablespoon melted butter.

Mix and sift flour, baking powder and salt. Add corn meal and mix well. Add milk and egg beaten together. Beat well and beat in molasses and melted butter. Turn into a well buttered pan and bake 25 minutes in a hot oven.

Protein, 142 calories; fat, 331 calories; carbohydrate, 778 calories. Iron, .0047 gram.

SICK CATTLE BEING KILLED

Stringent Precautions Taken to Prevent Spread

OAKLAND, Calif., Feb. 29.—California's hoof and mouth disease situation seemed increasingly encouraging today.

During the last 24 hours—with a slaughter of infected herds under way—only three cases of infection were reported to federal and state officials.

Rifle squads were engaged in destruction of stricken animals. They are killed as mercifully as possible.

Deep trenches are dug and the animals driven up near these trenches one by one. Then members of the rifle squad kill them, taking care that a single, well-placed shot brings death.

The carcass is dropped into the trench, covered with quicklime and buried under four feet of earth.

Agreements for the destruction of fifteen additional herds have already been signed by the owners. The slaughter is done under an agreement that the government will pay the owners half of the value of the animals destroyed. The state government, it is said, will provide funds later from which the other half of the value will be paid.

HE SHOOTS FAMILY, THEN KILLS SELF

HICKMAN, Ky., Feb. 29.—Art Everworth, filling station employe, shot his wife and two children at their home today and then killed himself. Doctors said the condition of Mrs. Everworth and the children was serious but that they might live.

Despondency over loss of his job was believed the reason for his act.

One of the first electric light plants in that part of the world is being erected at Aden, Arabia.

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Champion Swimmers All—In "Sunday Best"

The girls above are America's champion girl swimmers, and this unusual photograph shows them one way you seldom see them, without swimming togs. Snapped at Miami, Fla., where they smashed records recently. Left to right: Aileen Riggin, Helen Meany, Katherine Brown, Adelaide Lambert, Helen Wainwright, Gertrude Ederle, Doris O'Mara, Sybil Bauer, Virginia Whitemack, Ethel McGary and Agnes Geraghty.

ITALIAN SALAD DELICIOUS DISH

Cold Roast Beef Made Palatable This Way

This "Italian salad" will be most acceptable in households devoted to roast beef.

One cup diced cooked carrots, 1-2 cup diced cooked turnips, 1 cup diced cold roast beef, 1 cup cooked string beans cut in small pieces, shredded cabbage, pickled beets, French dressing.

Make the dressing using one small teaspoon salt or one-half standard teaspoon, one-quarter teaspoon pepper, one-eighth teaspoon mustard, two tablespoons vinegar, six tablespoons oil. Mix carrots, turnips, string beans and meat and let stand in the dressing for an hour. Keep the bowl tightly covered. Arrange on a bed of shredded cabbage, garnish with pickled beets cut in fancy shape or matchlike strips and serve very cold.

Protein, 147 calories; carbohydate, 124 calories; fat, 408 calories. Iron, .0099 gram.

"Bubble and Squeak"

Four slices cold roast beef, 2 tablespoons butter, 2 cups cold mashed potatoes, 1 cup cold spinach, 1 onion, salt and pepper.

Melt butter in frying pan. Add meat and saute a golden brown first on one side and then on the other. Remove from frying pan and keep hot. Peel and cut onion in shreds. Add to melted butter in frying pan and fry a pale straw color. Add potatoes and spinach, salt and pepper and mix thoroughly. Cook until very hot. Smooth over the top and let brown on the bottom. Remove to a hot platter and arrange the meat over the top.

Protein, 168 calories; carbohydrate, 456 calories; fat, 665 calories. Iron, .0224 gram.

A CARD OF THANKS

I take this method of extending my thanks to the many friends who rendered service and sympathy to myself and daughter during the sickness and death of my departed husband, W. H. Brown. I want to thank especially the friends who sent the beautiful floral offerings, and who rendered service on the occasion of his burial.

MRS. W. H. BROWN.

TEXAS HIGHWAYS IN GOOD CONDITION NOW

DALLAS, Feb. 29.—Texas highways are in generally good condition with scattered sections rough or muddy, according to the weekly report of the Dallas automobile club.

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Pancakes on Holy Days Survival of Old Custom

Many church holy days have certain typical dishes. Many years ago in England the long Lenten fast used to be ushered in by a hearty indulgence in pancakes. On Shrove Tuesday nearly every family celebrated in this way. Several rhymes have come down to us from the custom:

"The pancakes made of milk and beer,
Are made for no one present here;
There's one for Peter, two for Paul,
And three for Him Who made us all."

This poem is responsible for the superstition which caused the cook to set aside the first three as sacred.

The noon bell on Shrove Tuesday was welcomed by the boys as the "Pancake Bell," and they would chant:

"Pancakes and fritters
Says the bells of St. Peter's."

Or:

"Pan on, pan on,
Pull the big one off, put the little one on!
Pan on, pan on!"

An old German custom was to serve doughnuts on Shrove Tuesday. These delicacies finally received the name "Fastnachts," because they were served on the eve of a fast day.

To make pancakes and doughnuts which are healthy and delicious combine the flour with bran.

Bran Griddle Cakes

One cup crumbled bran, 2-2 teaspoon salt, 1 cup flour, 1 egg, 1 tablespoon sugar, 1 1-2 cups milk, 2 tablespoons baking powder, 1 tablespoon melted shortening.

Mix and sift flour, sugar, baking powder, and salt, add crumbled bran. Combine egg with milk, and add to the dry ingredients. Add melted shortening. Beat thoroughly and bake on a hot griddle.

Bran Doughnuts

1 1-2 cups bran, 2 teaspoons baking powder, 1 1-2 cups flour, 1-4 cup sugar, 1 tablespoon shortening, 1-2 cup milk, 1 egg, 1 teaspoon salt.

Cream butter and sugar. Add egg well beaten. Mix and sift dry ingredients except the bran. Add bran and other dry ingredients to the first mixture. Roll on a floured board. Cut with a doughnut cutter. Fry in hot deep fat (360 F.).

QUITMAN MAN HURT WHEN AUTOS CRASH

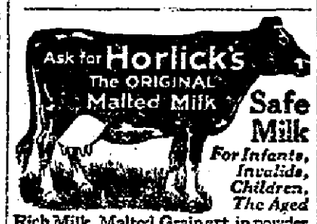
DALLAS, Feb. 29.—G. B. Bradshaw, 23, of Quitman, Texas, was critically injured here when he was caught between two automobiles which crashed on a down-town street corner.

Several Killed in Illinois Explosion

QUINCY, Ills., Feb. 29.—Several persons were killed and a number injured when an explosion occurred at the plant of the Weise Paper mill here today.

Three bodies are reported taken from the ruins and eighteen are in hospitals.

Fire broke out after the explosion.



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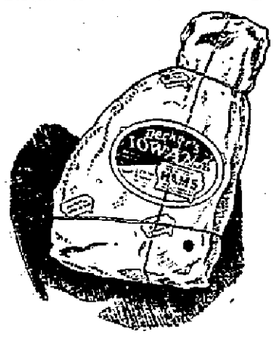

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NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE®

Will Fort Seeking Francis Journee For Match Here With Sailor Jack Woods; Edwards-Actor Match Cancelled

Expect A. A. U. Officials to Restore Standing of Charlie Paddock

Telegraphic Votes Show Majority For Lifting Track Ban

Papers Turned Over to Union Secretary; Announcement Expected Soon; Houston Sends in Cash Subscription for Fund

BY HENRY L. FARRELL
United Press Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.—Announcement that Charley Paddock, world's sprint champion, has been restored to good standing and is eligible to enter the trials for the American Olympic team, may be expected within a few days from the A. A. U.

Votes taken by telegraph on the suggestion of William C. Prout, president of the A. A. U., that Paddock be reinstated are said to have resulted in a unanimous ballot to lift the suspension plastered on the California star for competing in Paris last summer without official permission.

The papers are all in the hands of J. W. Ruben, secretary of both the A. A. U., and the American Olympic committee. It is possible, however, that the official announcement of reinstatement will not be made until a report of the track and field committee is made at the next meeting of the committee which is to be held here on March 8.

The finance committee of the Olympic committee which recently appealed to the public for $40,000 to pay the first deposit toward the $150,000 needed to charter the ship for the American team, reported today that it felt sure the money would be available tomorrow when the first payment is due.

Among the responses of larger size to the appeal for help was one for $5,000 from the winter colonists of Miami, Fla. and a contribution of $900 from Houston, Texas.

YMBL PUSHING BALL TICKETS

Fans Urged to Support City's Sport Boosters

Bought that ticket for the St. Joe exhibition games yet?

If you haven't get in touch with Guy Hooker, A. B. Snyder, Crawford Hicks, Cliff Gunn or Nookie Priester right away—they'll be glad to sell you tickets or let you have tickets to sell someone else—or just get in touch with any member of the YMBL.

"Indications are at the present time," Guy Hooker, general sales manager in the YMBL drive to dispense 2,500 tickets at a dollar a throw in the city, said this morning "that Port Arthur will put this ticket drive across with a bang."

The YMBL has stood sponsors for the ball fans of this community in bringing St. Joseph, Mo here for spring training; they've gone to the trouble of securing a ball park and hostelry accommodations for 25 prospective players, and they've put up a guarantee of $2,500. It is only right that the ball fans of this city help the YMBL secure that guarantee.

Since its organization, Port Arthur's YMBL has been identified from year to year as the biggest sport-supporting civic organization in the city. The YMBL is the one organization upon which every athletic venture hinges in Port Arthur. the YMBL put the best city baseball league in the history of sand lot ball across 100 per cent perfect last season; the YMBL put over a monoth swimming carnival at Plaza Nat—now the YMBL has gone in for bigger game—the organization which since its origin has boosted and backed clean sportsmanship in Port Arthur is bringing one of the best teams in the Western league here for spring training, and Port Arthur fans ought to stand behind them in their first real big venture.

Get your tickets while they're selling fans.

HARRY GREB IS GREAT FIGHTER

Lacks Ketchel's Ability, But Has Uncanny Stuff

By JOE WILLIAMS

At the risk of being summarily ejected from the premises by blue coated sentinels of the United Order of Old-Timer Idolizers we hereweth nominate Harry Greb of Pittsburgh as one of the greatest middleweights of all time—

A middleweight who doesn't rank many degrees back of the three immortals, Bob Fitzsimmons, Tommy Ryan and Stanley Ketchel.

Greb lacks Ryan's science, Fitzsimmons' hitting power and Ketchel's all-round ability, yet he is a remarkable battler—remarkable in many ways. He can train down to 160 pounds and be at his best. He can build up to 175 pounds and be fast as fast and skillful. At these weights he won, respectively middleweight and light heavyweight titles. The world knows that Greb is not a orthodox fighter; he doesn't maneuver about on his feet in the deft manner of a Leonard, nor does he wait for openings and set himself to punch in the manner of a Dempsey. He maintains a terrific pace all the way, swarms all over an opponent and hits from all angles.

You would not call Greb's style peculiarly interesting, yet it is effective. He rarely ever knocks out his opponent because his whirl-wind tactics seldom leave him in a position to hit solidly with his body power behind the blow. Nevertheless his opponents are usually punished and usually decisively beaten.

CAN'T BUY GONAZELS

CLEARWATER, Fla., Feb. 29.—Negotiations with the Cincinnati Reds for the purchase of Mike Gonzales, Cuban catcher, have been called off by the Brooklyn Robins, it was reported here today. The Robins, it was said, were not willing to meet the Cuban's salary demands. Nehf, Taylor and Griffith are still holdouts.

EXPECTING M'GRAW

SARASOTA, Fla., Feb. 29.—John McGraw, manager of the Giants, is expected to arrive tomorrow from Havana to take charge of his training camp. The first of the regular players are due here tomorrow. Bill Terry and Fred Lindstrom are regarded as the most promising rookies here.

INDIANS TOSS A FEW

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Feb. 29.—Conditioning of the Cleveland Indians today was switched from mountain climbing to "tossing a few." It was the first time this year for the tribesmen to throw a base ball. Long hikes have been the order of the day up to now.

TIGERS SHOW SPEED

AUGUSTA, Ga., Feb. 29.—After a week's layoff the Detroit Tiger squad was drilled at top speed by Manager Ty Cobb, who put his pupils through everything but a full fledged baseball game. Cobb himself, though he wasn't in uniform, took a few wallops at the ball.

Berlenbach Wins

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.—Paul Berlenbach, New York middleweight, scored his 22nd consecutive knockout when he stopped Young Fisher, Syracuse, after 24 seconds in the sixth round. The punch was a left hook to the body. Fisher claimed a foul but it was not allowed.

DANFORTH AT WORK

MOBILE, Ala., Feb. 29.—Dave Danforth, veteran southpaw, started work in the St. Louis Browns camp here today. Pitchers Herb Pruett and Dixie Davis, after two days, report their arms minus the usual aching kinks. Manager George Sisler is cheerful.

ATHLETICS DEPART

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 29.—Connie Mack's advance guard will leave tonight for the spring training camp at Montgomery, Ala. The first practice for the Athletics will begin on Monday.

Shocker Must Have Big Year To Hold Prestige With Fans

By NEA Service

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 29.—While Pitcher Sscocker's case has been officially settled by his withdrawal of his suit to be declared a free agent, and the signing of a contract, there is certain to be an aftermath of the affair.

Shocker's position is far from an enviable one, since to have smooth sailing, he must be a winner from the start and keep at it consistently.

Shocker's pitching ability is unquestioned. No one likes to win better than Shocker, but the breaks of the game often spoil a superb pitching effort.

The fans of this burg, inclined to be critical, will judge Shocker merely on results. If he wins, fine, but if he is a loser, then it is certain that he will come in for a "razzing," even though it be undeserved.

Continued failure to win will cause the fans to think that he is laying down on the job because of his winter dispute with the club owner. Likewise it is certain to create the belief among the ever-suspicious that possibly he isn't taking the best care of himself.

Shocker must go at top speed to be immune from criticism. It's a big task that is ahead of him.

An American Fistic Missionary at Work

LEFT—ISAAC INGLETON. RIGHT—TEX O'ROURKE.

NOW, my children, you shall see the interior of an English school of boxing, an English school as conducted by an American, one Professor Tex O'Rourke, who is across the sea spreading the doctrine of the right cross. You see the kindly old professor showing his star pupil, Isaac Ingleton, ex-Liverpool cop, standing 6 feet 5 inches, what it is all about.

The professor has drawn a couple of cute little pictures on the blackboard to emphasize his text and the alert Ingleton is doing his very manly best to duplicate the action.

It is said that Ingleton is most contagious and that the dear old professor hasn't yet been able to draw a picture sufficiently ferocious to frighten the reformed policeman.

PARK COLLEGE HERE TONIGHT

Meet PAHS in Saw-Game At Franklin Gym

South Park college is planning on evening up the score when they play the Port Arthur High boys at Franklin Gym tonight, but Coach Smith's boys do not see the event in that light.

Port Arthur High holds a one-game margin on the South Parkers, having defeated this crew by a scant three-point margin some time ago. Since this time the local goalers have maintained if not increased their court work and have even improved their game. They are showing a better passing game over that which they used in their previous games. South Park also has been working hard in an endeavor to best the Port Arthur team.

It is not known what the South Park line-up will be, but Coach Smith will probably have the following answer the call of the starter's whistle: Carruthers and Inglesias, forwards, Hyde center, Crow and Schicker, guards.

GOVEL AT SHORT

AVALON, Calif., Feb. 29.—For the first time Otto Govel, former Illinois star, appeared at shortstop with the Cubs in training here and came through in style which will justify his further appearance in the infield. He handled the grounders in excellent style for his first day in practice in the new position. Manager Killifer is putting his men through a series of dashes to test their speed.

M'AULIFF HURT

BRADENTOWN, Fla., Feb. 29.—The Cardinals first accident occurred here when Otis McAuliff, young Tulsa pitcher, being tried out by the St. Louis team, was cracked by a liner off the bat of Jesse Haines. The weather so far has been too cold for effective practice.

BURNS 'EM OVER

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Feb. 29.—Walter Johnson, Washington veteran, "burned them over" in practice and his pep, combined with a sunshiny day, stimulated the squad of "old timers" to the busiest day's training so far. Bucky Harris, the boss manager, has vetoed a plan to have the Nationals take part in a wild west show.

KNOCKS OUT PERRY

FORT BRAGG, N. C., Feb. 29.—Young Stribling knocked out Jack Perry, light-heavyweight champion of the navy, in the second round.

Stops Dave McGill

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.—A. D. Stone, Philadelphia light-heavyweight, stopped Dave McGill, Irish champion, in the eleventh round. The referee stopped the contest to save McGill who had been punished all the way.

YANKS LINE UP

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 29.—Work at the Yankee training camp here is expected to be in full swing next Monday. Manager Huggins and the first squad of players are scheduled to arrive Sunday.

Franklin School Boys Win Over DeQueen in Intramural Tilt

Franklin's athletes trimmed their way to victory over the DeQueen school boys yesterday afternoon in an inter-school intramural contest on the basketball field, when they won the best two of three contests.

The Fifth graders from Franklin defeated the same class from DeQueen, 8 and 0, while the Franklin Sixth graders were beating DeQueen's Sixth class, 8 to 2. The only game the DeQueen boys won came when their Seventh grade boys out-generaled the Franklin Seventh graders and won a victory by one point, 7 and 6.

One of the largest crowds that has witnessed any of the intramurals turned out for the contests, and considerable interest was manifested during the melees. The intramurals, it was learned, will probably be continued through the remainder of the current school year, similar matches in volleyball and indoor baseball being played.

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TEXACOS TRIM MAGNOLIA'S ALL-STAR AGGREGATION IN EXCITING GAME HERE, 25-20

COACH E. O. Perkins' team worked well last night and the Texacos defeated Nemo Herrera's Magnolia All Stars at Franklin Gymnasium in an unusually close game 25 to 20. Approximately three hundred fans witnessed the game and not one dull moment did they find in the entire period of playing.

Sutton, Magnolia forward, penetrated the defense of the Texacos in the first half for four field goals, Hughes managed to put in two trys, and Orr one, while Herrera was held down to but one free goal. This made a total of 15 points for the All Stars in the first half. On the Texacos, Halpin, Bean and Cross each got away with two field goals apiece, while Greene made one field goal, and Palmer scored a free goal, making a total of 15 for the Texacos. Thus the first half ended in a 15-15 tie.

Defense Too Strong

In the second half, the Texaco defense showed up to advantage, holding the Magnolias to two field goals and one free goal, and allowing the visitors to raise their total score to 20. Each man on the Texaco team sifted through in the last half and made a field goal that gave them a 5 point lead and the game.

The game was closely played and no team could contend to be victorious until the final whistle. It was a case of first one team advancing the ball slowly through the opposing defense and scoring and then the other performing in a like manner.

Band Fails to Play

The Magnolia All Stars failed to bring their band with them due to unforeseen obstacles in arranging to assemble the members of this body. It is thought that they will play at the third meeting of these two teams.

Texacos (25)	Field	Foul	Total
Palmer, F	1	1	3
Halpin, F	3	0	6
Bean, C	3	0	6
Cross, G	1	0	2
Green, G	2	0	4
TOTAL			25

Magnolia All Stars (20)	Field	Foul	Total
Sutton, F	5	1	11
Herrera, F	0	1	1
Douglas, C	1	0	2
Hughes, G	2	0	4
Orr, G	1	0	2
Tracy, G	0	0	0
TOTAL			20

Substitutions—Texacos None. Magnolia All Stars: Tracy.

Score by Periods—

Texacos	15	10—25
Magnolia	15	5—20

Time of periods—20 20.
Timekeeper—Rogers.
Referee—Lee O. Smith (Nebraska).

TRACK STARS AT URBANA FOR MEET

URBANA, Ills., Feb. 29.—Track stars from colleges and universities throughout the midwest are pouring in here today for the seventh annual indoor relay, track and field games of the University of Illinois, which will be held on Saturday.

Avery Brundage, three time winner of the National A. A. U. all-around championship will be active referee and Major John L. Griffith, "Big Ten" athletic commissioner, will be starter.

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Firpo is to get a guarantee of $250,000. Correct last sentence. It is said Firpo is to get a guarantee of $250,000.

At last reports the good senor was said to be withholding his signature pending the receipt of a promised $50,000 "good faith" deposit.

GOOD BOWLING MARKS TOURNEY

ABC Sees Changes in Team Standing

CHICAGO, Feb. 29.—Although yesterday's leaders in the American Bowling Congress tourney here managed to hold top berths again today, the Central Trust crept into fifth place with a total of 2,715 and the Bensinger Randolph No. 4 team leaped into eighth place with a total of 2737.

Some good bowling marked the shooting of the Lyons, Ills., team which came off with 2720. Next best came the Chicago Bulldogs with a 2700 series. A flat total of 2700 was also registered by the Bensinger Wabash number one team.

PIRATES MUST BEHAVE

PASO ROBLES, Cal., Feb. 29.—Bill McKechnie told his Pirate charges to behave as well as if they were at home because they were encamped among some of California's best people.

PHILLIES PLAY

LEESBURG, Fla., Feb. 29.—The Phillies today will play their second practice game of the preliminary spring training. Wilson and Henline, catchers, chose sides for the opening game yesterday and Henline's team won 3 to 2.

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Best Curver Since Day of Mordecai Brown

By BILLY EVANS

The greatest curve ball pitcher in the National league—John Morrison of the Pittsburgh Pirates.

The greatest curver since the days of Mordecai Brown of the Chicago Cubs—the same John Morrison.

If the inside dope on John Morrison is correct Manager Pat Moran of Cincinnati must rave every time he gives thought to the Pirate star, for Morrison, so the story goes, is a protege of Pat Duncan, crack outfielder of the Reds.

Like Walter Johnson, Morrison slipped into the big show without having much fuss made about him or his past performances. He made good from the very start. Strangely enough, he pitched his first full game against the Cincinnati Reds and won it, 6 to 0.

Prior to the World War Morrison's pitching activities had been confined to his own section of the country. As an army twirler he made quite a reputation. The war over, through the efforts of Pat Duncan, he was placed with the Birmingham team of the Southern league.

Morrison spent only two years in the minors prior to joining Pittsburgh. Although he did good work from the very start it was not until last season that Morrison reached the realms of stardom. He ranks as one of the outstanding pitchers of the National league.

Taylor Meets Pancho

CHICAGO, Feb. 29.—After a week of intensive training, Bud Taylor, Terre Haute, Ind., will leave for Milwaukee on Saturday where he meets Pancho Villa, world's flyweight champion, next Thursday.

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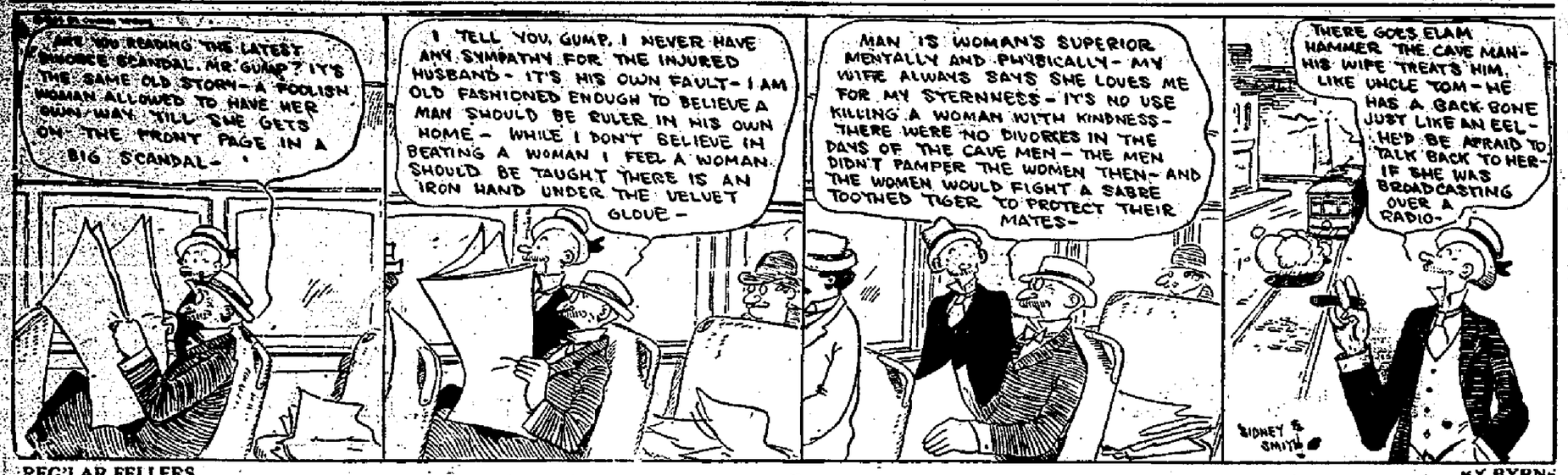

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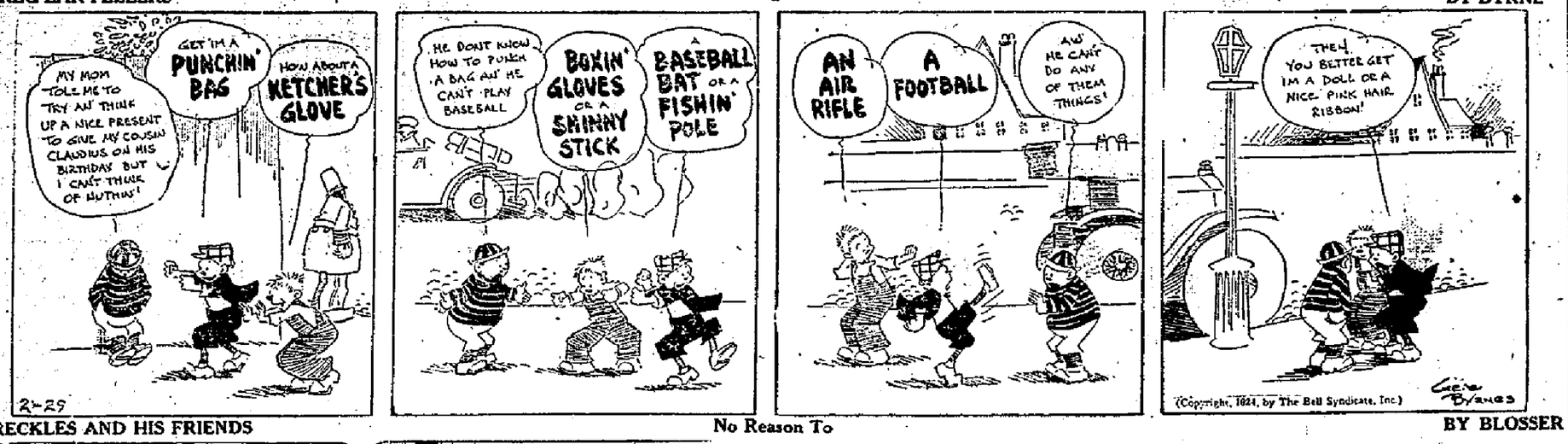

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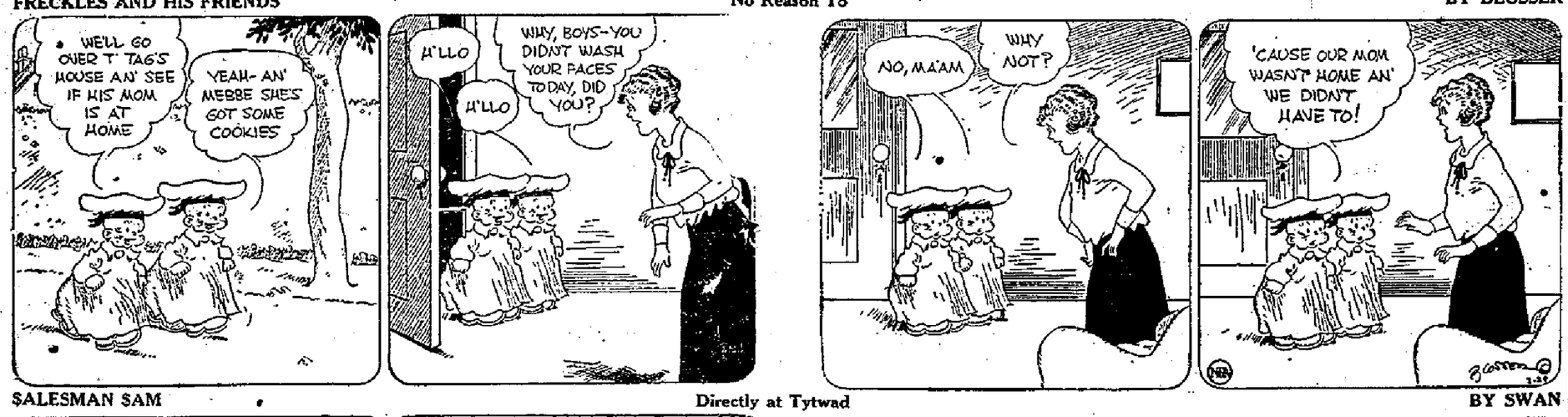

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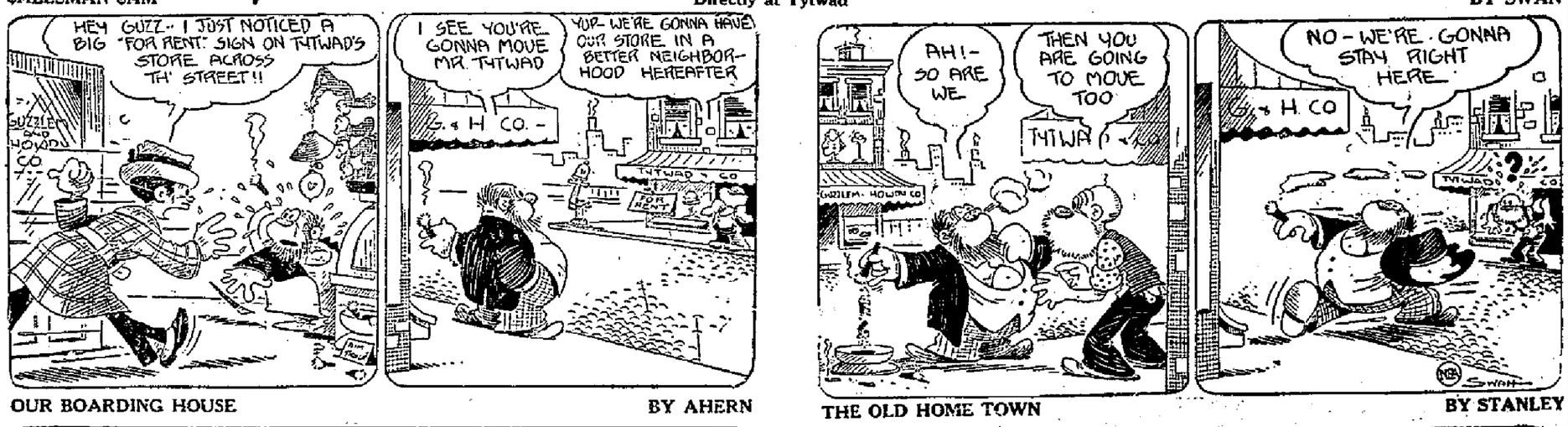

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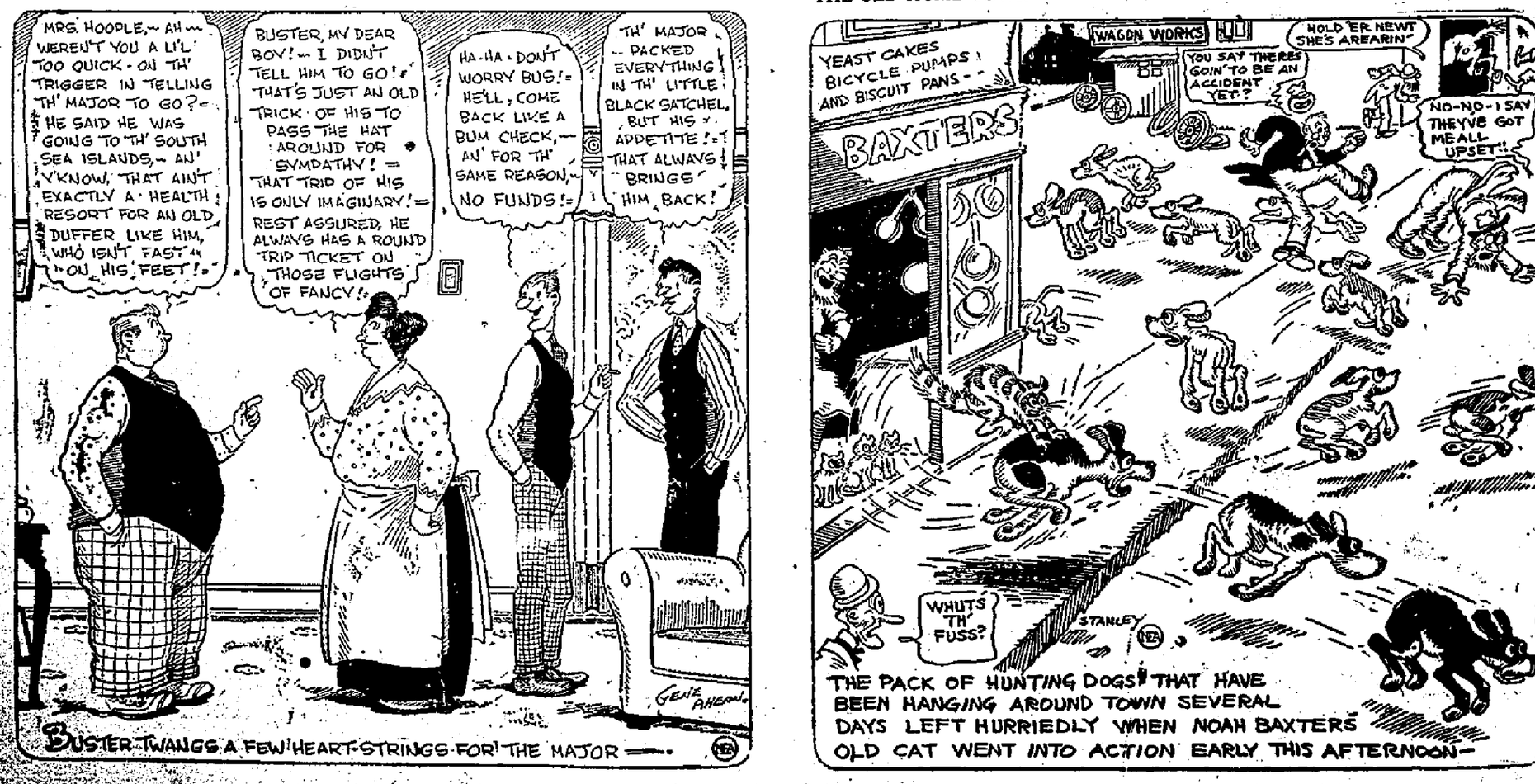

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS
By Olive Roberts Barton

NO. 8—THE SEVEN LEAGUE BOOTS

And the good lady sat down in a rocking chair

"Now then, good wife," said Farmer Giant when dinner was over, "as I wish to go to the Market Town this afternoon with two sacks of grain to exchange for a barrel of sugar, I will want my seven-league boots."

"They are all ready for you, Hiram" said Mrs. Giant.

"Fine!" said Mr. Giant. "And the socks that I always wear with them, are they ready, too?"

"Oh, I forgot," exclaimed Mrs. Giant, all in a flutter. "They are in my darning basket. One of them has a hole in the toe. I shall mend it right away."

And the good lady sat herself down in a rocking chair and reached for her darning basket, where Nancy and Nick were hiding in her thimble.

At that minute Mrs. Giant finished threading her enormous needle and reached for her thimble to put it on.

But it would only go on half way, for her finger touched the Twins, who began to squirm and squeal like two little mice in a trap.

"Ouch!" yelled Nancy.

"Ouch!" wailed Nick.

"Bugs!" shrieked Mrs. Giant, giving her thimble such a toss that it flew out of the window and for all I know may be on the moon at this very minute.

But the Twins didn't go with it! They slid out the very instant Mrs. Giant threw it away, and lo and behold, Nancy landed in one of the seven-league boots and Nick in the other.

"What is it, good wife?" cried Mr. Giant, rushing in to see what the trouble was about. "Is it robbers?"

"Ugh!" exclaimed Mrs. Giant giving herself a great shake. It was two bugs!" They were in my thimble!"

At that very minute Nancy was saying away down in her boot, "Now I've lost Nick. I wish I was out of this."

And Nick was saying down in the bottom of his boot, "I wish I was away from here. Now I've lost Nancy!"

But of course, the Twins still had on the magic green shoes that the Fairy Queen had given them to climb the Beanstalk with, that obeyed every wish they made.

So you know what happened! The seven-league boots began to take steps the minute the Twins finished wishing. And right before the astonished eyes of the giant family, the boots walked calmly out of the front door and down the road to the Market Town.

"They are bewitched!" cried Mr. Giant.

"Let them go," declared Mrs. Giant. "Good riddance. I call it bad rubbish."

(To Be Continued)

CHILD'S STORY OF THE HUMAN RACE
By Uncle Ray

Chapter 125

Was There a Real Troy?

We know that many stories about Troy are myths, and could not have been true. This does not mean, however, that there was never a real city of Troy. People at one time laughed at the idea, but a great scientist went to the spot half a century ago and found city ruins there!

The most surprising fact of all was that there had been nine cities built at the same location. This was proved by the different layers of ruins. The lowest layer was, of course, the oldest.

Scientists say that tribes gathered at the spot way back toward the end of the Stone Age. It was a good place to live because all around was rich pasture land for sheep, goats and cattle.

At a higher level have been found the remains of what we call the Burnt City (because it was burned three times). Here were discovered gold daggers and silver jars, and a crown woven of 16,000 gold leaves and rings!

Three or four layers above the Burnt City are the ruins of what is supposed to be the Troy told about in the Greek poem. It had a mighty wall all around it, and here and there great towers. Soldiers were doubtless stationed in those towers while the city was being defended.

It is likely that the real cause of the Greek attack on Troy was not the desire for Helen, the beautiful wife of the Spartan king, but rather a fight for the pastures and fields around the city.

The Greeks built a city on the spot. After it was ruined, they built another. The last city (the ninth) was built by the Romans. It was called Ilium and was deserted about fifty hundred years ago.

Next—Farming in Ancient Greece

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This drawing shows some of the ruins of Troy scientists have uncovered.

Color Cut-Outs

Decorating the Booths

After school on the day before the bazaar, all the girls who had helped collect things to sell went to the sewing room to get the booths ready.

"Our candy booth," said Betty Cook out, "is going to be covered with pa green crepe paper to look Spring-lik and my mother is going to give pots of big red tulips to put at the corners."

"It won't be any nicer than the handkerchief corner," boasted Nancy. "Ours will look like a rainbow for I have all colors of hankies to sell,—blue and pink and yellow, with colored threads in them."

"I hope you can make money on your pretty booths," tensed Florence coming up, "but I'll wager all the men will like Natalie's funny grocery store better. It's made out of soap boxes and she sells pie and cake!"

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We only hope the weather will be pleasant tomorrow so the crowd at the bazaar will be large. The dress today for Florence is dark blue with green sleeves, containing orange flowers. She wears gray hose.

LOUISIANA RAILROAD GIVEN BOND PERMIT

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CLASSIC DANCES AT ELKS RECITAL

Local People to Appear With Solo Dance Artists

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Saturday night at the Elks theater Miss Williams will give a recital, with local dancing and voice talent appearing with her on the program. School children will be admitted free.

Appearing on the program will be Miss Pritchard of Houston, who will arrive by airplane, being unable to otherwise make connections; Mrs. J. E. Gammage, solo; A. M. Culpepper quartet, and several talented Houston dancers, former pupils of Mrs. Williams. Mrs. Pritchard will do several solo dances in addition to the program.

MEXICANS ENTER NEWS CONTEST

Will Try to Win Sunday School Trophy

Interest in the News Sunday School contest has even reached the Spanish speaking people of Port Arthur, who have decided to enter their Sunday school in the contest for the loving cup. Work among the Mexican and French people of the city is being carried on by several of the local churches, whose pastors feel that the contest will greatly help the work in Port Arthur.

Rev. P. G. Herrera, Methodist Mexican missionary, reported that the Mexican Methodist Sunday school has prepared to enter the Sunday school contest. The Mexican Sunday school has at present an enrollment of seventeen. Meetings are held each Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the First M. E. Church, South. H. G. Brooks is superintendent of the school. Immediately following the Sunday school, Rev. Herrera delivers a sermon.

MARKETS

WALL STREET JOURNAL FINANCIAL REVIEW

NEW YORK, Feb. 29. The leading industrials rallied new highs on the seventy stocks today reflecting the general improvement in the market. Crucible, a specialty, was the most conspicuous exception, selling down to a record breaking showing for curtailment for the week end of February 12.

CLOSING PRICES

The markets closed lower. U. S. Steel 1031, off ¼. Baldwin 124, off ¼. Studebaker 101, off ¾. American Can 111, off ¼. Pan-American Petroleum 52, off ¼. U. S. Rubber 57, off ¼. Anaconda 31, off ½. Industrial Alcohol 56, off 1. Cuba Cane Prod. 18½, off ½. Crucible 36½, up ½. Westinghouse 39, off ½. New York Central 101, up 1. Norfolk and Western 119, off 1½. Northern Pacific 82, off 1½. Southern Pacific 96½, up ½. Texas Company 43.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.—Foreign exchange opened irregular.

Sterling 4.76.
France 6.91½.
Lire 4.07.
British francs 4.76.
Marks 4,650 to one cent to the dollar. The market closed down.
Sterling demand 4.76, off ¼.
Francs 6.917, off 6.00½.
Lire 4.07.
Marks 4,652 to 1,000 cent to the dollar.

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4th 4s Liberty, 4th 4s, 98.00.
U. S. Germany, 5½s, 99.7.

CHICAGO PRODUCE

BUTTER: Receipts 9,258, creamery extras, 47; creamery standards, 47; first 42 to 44; seconds 41 to 43.
EGGS: Receipts 17,097, ordinary firsts 22 to 23; firsts 24 to 25.
POULTRY: Receipts 2 cars, 211 Young Americans, 22.
POTATOES: Receipts 62 cars.

NEW YORK COTTON

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.—Cotton closed steady.

	Open	High	Low	Close
March	29.81	29.83	29.55	29.57
May	29.11	29.22	28.95	29.15-22
July	29.38	29.41	28.87	29.15-17
Oct.	28.20	28.27	27.82	28.06

Spots 28.20.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 29.—Cotton closed lower.

	Open	High	Low	Close
March	29.28	29.31	29.19	29.28
May	29.57	29.65	29.06	29.06-07
July	29.10	29.16	28.70	28.76-77
Oct.	27.71	27.79	27.31	27.37-38

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DR. CULP EXPECTED BACK FROM MEETING

Rev. Dr. C. W. Culp pastor of the First Baptist church, who has been attending the state board of the Southern Baptist convention sessions in Fort Worth this week, is expected to return to Port Arthur late today. Mrs. Culp planned to visit her son, Earl Culp, at Baylor University, Waco, on the return trip to Port Arthur.

FRATERNAL

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FURNISHED room, with housekeeping privileges, reasonable rent. 131 Lake Shore. Phone [illegible]

NICELY furnished housekeeping room, also new bedroom, modern, close in. 241 4th.

TWO nicely furnished housekeeping rooms to let. Apply 506 4th street.

THREE unfurnished housekeeping rooms. 1030 Charleston Ave. Phone 2501-J.

TWO large unfurnished rooms, private bath. 1819 Fifth street.

THREE unfurnished rooms for couple, $18.00 month. Apply 1402 15th St.

TWO furnished housekeeping rooms. 472 9th Street.

TWO or three unfurnished rooms to couple without children. 424 9th St.

DOWNSTAIRS furnished light housekeeping rooms. 509 Shreveport Ave.

TWO furnished light housekeeping rooms. 1 block from street car.

TWO unfurnished housekeeping rooms, 1 block from car line. 241 Fifth.

TWO furnished housekeeping rooms, all modern conveniences. 1416 7th street.

TWO furnished housekeeping rooms, hot water, also board and room. 715 Fourth street.

TWO furnished connecting rooms, housekeeping. 1 block from car line. 1 block from Sixth.

TWO furnished downstairs rooms for housekeeping, modern. 211 Sixth St.

SMALL modern furnished apartment for couple, rent reasonable. 225 Lake Shore.

APARTMENTS FOR RENT

ONE, two or three room apartment, private bath. Mrs. Cobb, 2-7-3. Phone 2-7-3.

APARTMENT for rent, furnished or unfurnished, to be given family in Marshall Ave. Phone 1838.

Two 3-room unfurnished apartments with bath, also garages $25.00 month. Phone 1677-W.

Vacant apartment, ground floor, facing lake. Four rooms, tile bath, hot water, screened front and rear porches, three large closets with racks, full length mirror in bedroom. Gas, grained garage, water, window shades and curtain rods furnished, no small children. Modern Apartments, 1013 Ninth St.

FOR RENT—Four-room duplex apartment, hot and cold water, garage, shelved closets. 220 Fifth street. $27.50. L. E. VAUGHAN & CO. Phone 98. 120 Austin Ave.

TWO furnished rooms and private bath. Phone 501.

MODERN apartments with sleeping porch. 109 Lake Shore. 1411 Fifth street. Phone 714.

HOUSES FOR RENT

TWO-room house, $7.00. 427 W. 24th. Apply 911 W. 24th.

FIVE-room house, 22 City street. Phone [illegible]

FIVE-room house, 1 block from car line. Apply [illegible]

FIVE-room modern house, 20 miles. Apply 1009 Procter.

FOR RENT

[illegible] 5th street, modern duplex, $20.00. [illegible] Beaumont, 7-room duplex, $22.00. [illegible] street, apartment, $[illegible]. [illegible] street, apartment, $[illegible]. 200 Fifth street, duplex, $37.50. [illegible] W. 12th street, duplex, $17.00. L. E. VAUGHAN & CO. Phone 98. 120 Austin Ave.

One house furnished complete. 2740 Eighth street, we have a few unfurnished homes. Call 35. N. M. Barrier.

FOR RENT—Six-room duplex, 14th street, modern, garage, $22.50 per month. Also 5-room on Nederland Ave. Inquire Hunt, 11 Terminal Bldg.

FOR RENT—Modern 7-room furnished house. Call [illegible] or apply 2001 7th.

NEW 6-room duplex, double garage, shelved closets, hot water, 17th, Bloom Addition. Phone 19[illegible].

FOR RENT—Two-room house, 1 room furnished, 1 unfurnished. $[illegible] per month. Close in. Good location. See Butler & Hudson, Houston St. Furniture Co., 1[illegible] Fifth. Phone [illegible].

FOR RENT—Six room house furnished, 441 Sixth street.

FOR RENT—Large 4-room house. Port Neches. [illegible]

FOR RENT—Nine rooms and bath and pantry, ready to move in now. 535 Procter street, phone 792.

FOR RENT—Five-room modern furnished house. Phone, light and gas connections. Phone 1161 after 5 p. m.

FIVE-ROOM house, all modern conveniences. 2222 6th. Apply 217 Shreveport.

FOUR-ROOM house for rent, $20.00 month. Phone 1563. 307 W. 17th St.

EVERETT TRUE BY CONDO

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TWO room houses on corner lot, close in. Phone [illegible]

FIVE-room modern house, close in. Phone [illegible]

GARAGES FOR RENT

GARAGE for rent, 541 6th street. Phone 1161-J.

PRIVATE garage, 2 blocks Savings bank. Mrs. Cobb, 1412 Fifth St. Phone 1696.

ROOM AND BOARD

ROOM and board, southern home, all modern conveniences. Also rooms and board for men. Phone [illegible] 10[illegible] 5th. Phone 1[illegible]-X.

LAKE FRONT room, modern, with board, good home cooking. See Lake home.

LARGE front room with board, recommendations for two, small men. $15 dollars a month.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

WOULD LIKE to hear from party thoroughly capable of selling short-hand 3 years for 2 hours evenings, 2 nights a week. Write Box [illegible] News.

WANTED TO BUY

WANTED—First class second hand sewing machine. Phone [illegible] Grocery, 601 Houston Ave.

TAYLOR
Will do painting. Your home, inside or outside, machine gun style. Phone [illegible] 27 Procter.

WANTED—Lot from owner must be priced cheap. P. O. Box [illegible].

WANTED—A used Ford wrecker, with good tires. Will pay cash. 417 Sixth street.

WE buy, sell and exchange new furniture for old. We pay you the highest market prices, cash for your old goods.
THE HOME FURNITURE CO
701 Houston Ave. Phone 212

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—Rather less than half price, 1[illegible] Elgin Fork Hoe. Hughes Full Gear Shoe Hub Puller. Phone 1[illegible]7.

BREAKFAST room suite, chairs, pantry leaving town. 1421 11th. Apply [illegible].

WILL sell three looms, furniture, range, dishes, parlor, bedroom, sitting room, etc. Will rent three rooms furnished housekeeping. [illegible] 17th 10th.

LOUNGE, mission table, bedstead springs, chairs, [illegible] cook stove. 412 W. 14th.

NO HAY OR OATS expected in Port Arthur. Grain and feed. Alfred du Pontet, room 10, 415 Procter street. Phone 1965.

HEWSTAD HAY, and growing alfalfa, for sale. Will sell in small lots. Angelina Warehouse, Lufkin, Texas.

WANTED—Second hand Ford touring car. Must be in good condition. Write Box [illegible] News.

TWO National cash registers, one sells for $140, other for $75. One $1,000 cash box. 288 Buford street. Beaumont, Texas.

FOR SALE—Show case, cash and guns. 1016 427 Walle Ave.

WATCH our windows we save you money. SCHERRER at the large store, clock 441 Procter.

FOR SALE—Frames and sashes, 3 shelved pantries. FACTORY STORE, 432 Austin Ave.

DON'T BUY
Until You Hear Our Prices.
We may be able to save you money on that odd piece of furniture. Easy terms.
B. Louvier & Son Furniture Co
[illegible] 7th Street Phone 1[illegible]

TEXAS FURNITURE CO.
Buy Here and Think the Difference
718 Houston Ave. Phone 1[illegible]

Shell $3.50 load, spread. Filling dirt $1.00, black dirt $3. Phone 2971-J. 2228 14th.

STOVE WOOD $10 cord in yard. New ceiling and flooring lumber, reasonable prices. Second hand lumber, reasonable, good material for building.
730 Austin Phone 1924

PEERLESS EGG COAL $13.00 PER TON, $1.00 PER SACK DELIVERED
KINDLING WITH COAL ORDER 50c PER SACK
LONE STAR TRANSFER CO.
PHONE 294 OR 213

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ONE rolling top office desk for sale. [illegible]

AUTO EXCHANGE

CHEVROLET sedan, new paint, good tires, excellent mechanical condition. Must sell. E. J. Mallon, Federal Bakery.

TIRE BARGAINS
30x3 Fabric tires . . . $6.80
30x3½ Fabric Tires . . . $7.60
30x3½ Cord Tires . . . $9.00
30x3 Tubes . . . $1.75
30x3½ Tubes . . . $1.85
These tires are Goodyear products.
E. BRINKMANN SUPPLY CO
801 Procter Phone 103

LIVE STOCK

FOR SALE—2 cows. Per rent, dairy. Plan C. Thornhill, Nederland.

PET STOCK AND POULTRY

WHITE PLYMOUTH ROCKS—My eggs are the best. They produce winners. They lay, make money for their owners. Setting eggs, special price $5 setting. Be sure, order early. Ernest S. Asnbury, P. O. Box 53, Beaumont, Texas.

FLOWERS AND SEEDS

FIRE field corn for make 1.00 bushel, pedigreed seed. Write for price. Mrs. Ora Miller, San Marcos, Texas.

CHRYSANTHEMUM plants for sale, all colors. Phone 2[illegible].

LEGAL NOTICES

FEBRUARY 2[illegible]—This is to give notice that I have purchased stock and fixtures of D. Norman Grocery store, 1[illegible] Seventh street. All parties having claims against said store are required to file same with me. Box [illegible], Port Arthur, Texas. L. G. Lego.

FINANCIAL

NEED MONEY? [illegible] to $50 advanced to wage earners, salaried men and housewives on their notice. Low rates and courteous treatment. All dealings strictly confidential. Publishing this notice you to investigate our plan first.
THE PAYMENT CO
Phone 3[illegible] 701 Austin Ave.

The Standard Credit Co.
Oldest and largest in Texas. Loans $5 to $300 without security to salaried men and women. Rates lowest—service best.
[illegible] Bldg.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

FOR SALE—Restaurant, rooms, good business, cheap rent, in Port Arthur. Write Box [illegible] News.

FOR RENT—Good business location, [illegible] room modern apartment, $[illegible] per month. Phone 971 or apply 1[illegible] Houston Ave.

FOR SALE—Rooming house and furniture. 1[illegible] Houston Ave.

Port Arthur Real Estate

BUSINESS PROPERTY

A VAL[illegible] client who must sacrifice Houston avenue improved corner property with alley. This property was sold $1000 less than cost in July 1922. Will take $1,[illegible] cash, balance monthly $50 interest. Alfred du Pontet, room 10, 415 Procter street. Phone 1965.

SPLENDID BUYS IN ROOMING HOUSES

Lake Shore drive. Large 12-room all modern rooming house with sun porch, hot water heating system, [illegible] $[illegible] cash, balance in 7 years.

Corner sixth street, 9-room house and 3-room house, 2 modern houses, with [illegible] on the corner. [illegible] $10,000. Terms to suit.

Corner 11th, 7-room rooming house, 2-room house on rear, both modern. A few days for $12,000. Terms.

T. F. FRERE
[illegible] Terminal Bldg. Phone [illegible]

CITY PROPERTY

FOR SALE OR RENT—New 4-room cottage by owner. Apply 716 11th Street or phone 1199-X.

FOR SALE by owner, modern 5-room house, screened in porch, corner lot, [illegible]. Sandefur, Federal Grocery, 2539 Procter.

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Port Arthur Real Estate

CITY PROPERTY

WE are agents for a neat 5-room cottage both on corner, 12th street, inside to the last degree, $[illegible]. This is a real good buy.
Four-room modern on 9th, near DeQuoin, $3150, terms.
Six-room on 16th street, built about three months, a pretty home, $100 cash.
Lot on 17th street, $750.
Lot on corner, 13th, bargain at $650.
LEGON & HUNT
14 Terminal Bldg. Phone 2771

Investment Extraordinary

In the 100 block on Lake Shore we have a lot 40x140 with 5-room house facing lake that we are offering for $3500, $1200 cash and the rest at $40.00 per month. The lot is worth $1000 and the house alone for $[illegible]. Don't let this slip without seeing this place.

On 5th street we have a corner with a 5-room and 2-room house on it, both modern and in perfect repair. The price is $[illegible] and $1500 is cash needed.

On 9th street there is a 5-room modern home on corner lot facing the lake with servants. Rents on the lake for $[illegible]. $1250 cash and $[illegible] per month. If you have a lot in Model or Griffing that is worth the money will consider it as part cash. This place is unfurnished, but the party instructed us to sell and here's what we are going to do.

On 11th street there is a small 5-room house that can be bought for $[illegible] with only $500 cash. Faces the lake.

Have clear on 12th street with 5-room modern home and an acreage lot who will exchange for something suitable for a duplex. Any thing?

On Stilwell there is a new 6-room house for $[illegible]. We can move you in for $250 and the balance is $30.00 per month.

Run down 7th street and you will see nice lots, and they are all priced right if we wouldn't offer them.

McCALL
[illegible] Phone 298

LOT 1900 block Thomas boulevard. Three room house front, back screened porch, $600 cash, balance payable monthly $36.00, by owner. Alfred du Pontet, room 10, 415 Procter street. Phone 1965.

FOR SALE—Five-room house, modern, completely furnished. 225 9th.

A BARGAIN—Large 5-room modern home, corner lot, facing lake, from owner. $4500 buys. 1901 11th.

SIX ROOM modern house on 8th with 2 lots, vacant lot or trade lots. Apply 928 Mobile. Phone 789.

FOR SALE—Corner lot, 19th and Beaumont Ave. See Stewart, 1[illegible] Procter.

FOR SALE by owner, house and lot on 9th street near DeQuoin. $27.00 month. Price $[illegible]. King, 408 Pearl St., Beaumont, Texas.

FOR SALE—Bargain to owner, 5-room and bath, modern, fine rooms, bath, garage, on 11 lots. Phone 421 or 1400.

SPECIAL
New 5-room and bath. If you want a good house look this over. First come, first served.
Room 101 Dexter Bldg. Call 2329.

BARGAINS ONLY
Procter street, inside lot, facing lake, only one of its kind that can be had for $500 cash payment, and balance as you like it.
Five room home on 50x140 ft lot on paved street for $2500; $500 cash payment, balance very easy terms.
Six-room home on paved street two blocks from post office $3000, $500 cash payment, balance in 7 years.
Watch my ads. It must be a bargain to go over my name.
REID AGENCY
Room 1 Williams-Sachs Bldg
Phones 1436 and 2678-W

FOR IMMEDIATE SALE MODERN ROOMY HOME OF 8 ROOMS, 3 GLASSED IN PORCHES. CAN BE MADE INTO 3 APARTMENTS, GARAGES, OUT HOUSES, FLOWERS, FRUIT TREES, SHRUBBERY. OWNER HAS TO SELL AND SMALL DOWN PAYMENT HANDLES DEAL. WILL TAKE TRADE ON VENDOR'S LIEN NOTES, OTHER REAL ESTATE OR AUTOMOBILE. WILL GIVE IMMEDIATE POSSESSION. PHONE 1354 OR 1960.

FOR QUICK [illegible] with [illegible]. Phone [illegible]

HOMES PRICED TO SELL
[illegible] 10th and 23rd.
SIX room house, 1 block from car line, $[illegible].
FIVE room house, [illegible].
FIVE room house, [illegible].
[illegible] 10th street, $[illegible] cash, $[illegible] month.
T. F. FRERE
[illegible] Terminal Bldg. Phone [illegible]

Exceptionally well built, well arranged new 5-room bungalow with full concrete [illegible], [illegible] floors throughout, [illegible] with built-in [illegible], [illegible] finished with [illegible] coats to [illegible] finishes throughout, [illegible] and [illegible] porch floors, screened and shelved [illegible], [illegible] shrubbery and trees, planted by owner, modern conveniences, has been taken [illegible]. This an ideal home. The price is $4100, owner in the best [illegible] Port Arthur, close to the [illegible] school. Terms will be arranged. Only one of many bargains in unsold Port Arthur property offered. Good car will be considered in deal. Phone [illegible].
FRED LUTTEMAN
Phone 406 or 951 205 Deuster Bldg.

BARGAIN by owner, 6-room house, New Model. Apply 3549 10th.

Port Arthur Real Estate

MODEL ADDITION lot, cash $320, balance payable monthly, $26.00, by owner. Alfred du Pontet, room 10, 415 Procter street. Phone 1965.

MODEL ADDITION

MODEL ADDITION LOTS
Have you noticed those choice lots adjoining Woodworth Boulevard? Ninth street is being shelled and the other streets will be next as fast as the 9th is received. We are arranging to finance homes at a very small margin. Better reserve your one of these lots before they are picked off. [illegible] per cent down will handle them.
E. L. VAUGHAN & CO.
Phone 98 120 Austin Ave.

CORNER lot in Model Addition to trade for P. A. Finance Stock. Phone 1526.

GRIFFING

HERE IS YOUR CHANCE
Five room stucco house, 2 story double garage and good corner acre of land on Beaumont road near Griffing's Residential Park. $1000 cash, balance $50 per month. Will trade for place in town or take first vendor lien note for interest in place.
GEO. W. GUTE
Over Hart's Drug Store
Phone 266

Strong Will Witness the Building of Many Fine Homes in Griffing's Residential Park.

Here is your chance to get an excellent building site at the very lowest possible price.
Two adjoining lots, corner and inside, on Simkien Court, and Tyrrell Park. This is the most ideal location in Griffing for a home. Terms to be arranged.
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T. F. FRERE
[illegible] Terminal Bldg. Phone [illegible]

Vacant lots over all the city at prices to suit from $600 on 11th street to $800 on 13th street.

Lake front lot on 6th, one-half block from old Model, $1500, $500 cash.

Five room modern home 1000 block 10th for $3400, terms.

Outside acreage anywhere you want it.

Corner lot on Beaumont road, size 50x215 for $600, one-half cash.
AVANT REALTY CO.
Phone 1303

Port Arthur Real Estate

GENERAL

OPPORTUNITY KNOCKS AT YOUR DOOR ONLY ONCE

The Atlantic Refinery to build at once on site close to "THE GROVES."

New homes are in demand in this district and will readily sell or rent to the best advantage.

This is one opportunity you will regret to lose.

Buy your lot in "THE GROVES" now and reap the benefit of the increase in price that will come at any time, now without notice.

The lots are selling for $450, $25 down and $10 per month. They are 50x290 feet, or two lots for the price of one.

Act quick, call for appointment to see these lots.

FRED LUTTEMAN
Phone 406 or 951
205 Deuster Bldg.

SUBURBAN

BUY AND BUY NOW

You can't go wrong, $27 cash and $10 per month secures a lot in "The Groves" near the new refinery, to be built by the Atlantic.

Absolutely the best buy on the market today. Drive out and look this proposition over or phone us, 406, and we will be glad to show you.

The Groves has highest elevation. Largest lots, best water, good soil, shade trees, and is ideally located. Every requirement necessary for permanent growth and big profit.

No more property like it in this section of the country. Prices to be advanced without notice. Streets to be graded and recorded and shelled at once.

Only $25 down and you are the owner of a contract for deed to the safest, best buy on the market today. For a home site or an investment, it has no equal.

W. Y. CRAIG, Agent
Phone 406

GENERAL

Corner lot and lovely 5-room new home in 2800 block 11th for $3675, $800 cash and balance at $40 and interest.

Five room modern, 800 block DeQueen, $4000, $1000 cash.

Lovely home on Procter, $6000, terms.

Corner lot, lake front, on Procter, 7 room house. Ask about it, it's cheap.

Lot on 5th, new Model for $1400, $900 cash.
AVANT REALTY CO.
Phone 1303

HOTEL grade (two rooms above) in the Model Addition, half block from paved street on 8th street. This property is going to be sold at a real bargain and on easy payments.
Here's a 5-room house and corner lot near 7th. Terms to suit. Only $4000, $400 cash and the balance $30 per month.
Here's a little home on Thomas boulevard facing lake and east of Stilwell, well worth $2500, terms to suit the buyer.
Here is a 5-room bungalow, corner 16th street and Woodworth boulevard. The two good garages house 3 modern connections, the lot is filled and the price is only $4500. Can make your payments as low as $25 per month. This is the best bargain you will find on this street or boulevard. The number of the house is 2408 16th street. Drive out and look it over.
Here's a modern 5-room duplex on 16th street near the DeQuoin school. Rents for $60 per month. You can have the property for $1000 cash and the balance $[illegible] per month.
T. F. KINARD
Real Estate Office 401 Procter Street
Phone 16

Dandy 5-room home on Main street, Pear Ridge, for $2500, $400 cash.

Four room and bath on 3 full lots, one a corner, in Pear Ridge on Main street, $2100, all cash.

Eight room modern and 3 room on lovely lot close in on Stilwell for $4750, $1000 cash.

Five room 1200 block 14th street for $2700, $300 cash.

Dandy little home in old Model on 6th for $2700, $1000 cash, balance $25 and interest.
AVANT REALTY CO
Phone 1303

SPECIAL LOTS
[illegible] between Procter and Fifth [illegible] 2 years at [illegible] $[illegible] cash and 2 years at [illegible]. You know that this [illegible] on Procter and [illegible] for [illegible]. This is [illegible] for [illegible].
[illegible] the best [illegible] Eighth street Model Addition. [illegible] high ground [illegible]. The price can't be beat for this [illegible]. Look [illegible] yourself. [illegible] will [illegible].
Here's a [illegible] home [illegible] in old home [illegible] Homestead [illegible] Procter street [illegible] city.
[illegible] Ninth street [illegible] $[illegible] cash [illegible] month.
T. F. FRERE
[illegible] Terminal Bldg. Phone [illegible]

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K. C. S. CLAIMS NO FIGHT ON P. A.

Statement at Austin Tells Its Viewpoint

The K. C. S. has no fight on with the City of Port Arthur.

In the opening statement of their side of the case preceding the presentation of their testimony at Austin before the Texas Rail commission, Judge Moore, attorney for that road, said so.

Setting forth the aims of the K. C. S. and their reasons for opposing the construction of an additional railroad line between Port Arthur and Beaumont, a somewhat lengthy statement was read into the record of the case.

The statement follows:

"We wish to make a brief preliminary statement. We are not protesting against the proposed construction of the line of the W. B. T. & S. railroad between Livingston and Beaumont; We confine our protest to the proposed line between Beaumont and Port Arthur. In much of the discussion concerning the proposed line it has been assumed that it would be built to Waco and would get a large volume of traffic at that point, but as a matter of fact, no authority has been asked to build between Trinity and Waco.

Reasons For Protesting

"Our reasons for protesting against the construction of this proposed line between Beaumont and Port Arthur may be stated generally as follows:

"First—There are an electric line and automobiles in operation between Beaumont and Port Arthur which handle practically all local passenger traffic and less than carload shipments of freight traffic. There are also two steam roads operating between Beaumont and Port Arthur. Their facilities are ample for several times the amount of traffic originating at or destined to points in that territory. A new line would only increase the aggregate value of railroad facilities between Beaumont and Port Arthur which would, under the present theory of rate making, be entitled to be considered in the making of rates. As a practical matter, the new line would take considerable business from the present lines and reduce their earnings which have never been adequate.

"Second—The proposed line between Beaumont and Port Arthur develops no new territory but, on the contrary, parallels the present tracks of the Texarkana and Fort Smith railroad company, cutting in between those tracks and the industries which those tracks serve and making those tracks largely or wholly useless, and doing the Texarkana and Fort Smith railway great injury. Some of these facilities were maintained for several years, or are now being maintained without receiving any return. Moreover the proposed line will interfere with the operation of the industries through whose plants it is proposed to be constructed.

No Necessity For Extension

Third—It is our position that all that the Waco company proposes to do can be accomplished as well by a line ending in Beaumont. There is no public convenience or necessity requiring or justifying the proposed line between Beaumont and Port Arthur. Nevertheless, if the commission should find that this proposed line between Beaumont and Port Arthur is required by public convenience and necessity, the Texarkana, Fort Smith railway company is willing, in order to avoid as far as possible the duplication of facilities, to grant the Waco company the right to operate over its line between Beaumont and Port Arthur, under the usual trackage agreement, the Waco company to provide its own freight and passenger terminals and docks, wharves and slips at Port Arthur.

"In support of our protest we shall analyze the figures of the Waco company to show that the expected business of that company will largely be taken from the Texarkana and Fort Smith railroad and other railroad companies, thereby depriving them of considerable revenue without giving anything in return; that the expected business and earnings have been overestimated and the cost of construction has been under-estimated; that, with one or two exceptions, the proposed line will be longer than existing routes and other such matters.

Enter Contest Reluctantly

"We wish to add that we have entered this controversy very reluctantly. It must be apparent that there can be no real conflict of interest between our company and the city of Port Arthur.

"We have a large investment at Port Arthur and we are constantly endeavoring to further its interests as well as our own. We do not believe that this will be accomplished by the construction of this railroad between Beaumont and Port Arthur and therefore have felt it necessary to file this protest.

Latest News From Louisiana Towns

LAKE CHARLES.—Two men held in the parish jail here were questioned by Curtis Bury, Crowley finger-print expert, in an effort to find if they had any connection with the robbery of the Hoffpauir Mercantile company's Esthenwood store on November 15, 1923.

CROWLEY, La.—Many small chicks were killed and incubation in poultry farms hampered here by the recent heavy freeze. A shipment of poultry will be made by the Acadia parish association within the near future under the direction of Mrs. Dennis T. Canan, Jr., parish home demonstration agent.

CROWLEY, La.—Mrs. Ira H. Oertling arrived today from Abbeville to visit friends and relatives here.

HOMER, La.—A statewide meeting of all Methodist Sunday schools will be held here March 18, 19 and 20.

CROWLEY, La.—A new fire truck with an extension ladder will be added to the fire department here, according to Henri Blessen and Chief Miles, of the fire department.

CROWLEY, La.—Hebert Brewer, visited relatives in Crowley recently. Mr. and Mrs. N. Breaux, of this city, visited Rayne recently.

EUNICE, La.—The deaths of Mrs. John Atterberry, Louis Andrews and Lee Lejeune, all during the past week, have saddened this community.

LAKE CHARLES, La.—Lake Charles Consistory and coordinate Scottish Rite bodies will hold the fourth annual reunion here March 24, 25, 26 and 27. All degrees from the fourth through the 32nd will be conferred during the four days.

MONROE, La.—Representatives of eight or 10 chapters of the Daughters of the American Revolution are attending a state convention here with over 100 delegates in attendance.

WELSH, La.—Mr. and Mrs. R. Broussard and children, Margaret and Courtney, are visiting at the home of S. D. Broussard here.

DE QUINCY, La.—Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Damon have as their guests Mrs. Pomeroy, mother of Mrs. Damon, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Walker, her sister, and baby daughter, Florence Virginia, all of Limestone, Tenn.

NEW ORLEANS, La.—A man held in the west is responsible for the disappearance of $3,900 from the steamship Galena, anchored in the river above New Orleans in November, 1923, according to the Pinkerton detective agency representatives, who arrested the man in Los Angeles.

RUSTON, La.—A. H. Henderson is chairman of the Chamber of Commerce here who will select a manager of the organization. Decision to get a manager to organize truck farming and business activities in the parish was taken at a recent meeting of the Chamber of Commerce.

LAFAYETTE, La.—The solemn blessing of the LaSalle normal school for the novitiate of the Brothers of the Christian schools was carried out Thursday morning with Right Rev. Jules B. Jeanmard, bishop of Lafayette, officiating. Very Rev. Langlois, of New Iberia, vicar general of the Lafayette diocese, delivered the sermon.

DE RIDDER, La.—Increased acreage for sweet potatoes, following the report of W. J. Crouse that he made $400 on two acres planted in sweet potatoes last season, is planned by farmers here.

OAK GROVE, La.—The residence of H. H. Bailey, valued at $5,000, was totally destroyed here recently. Only a piano and a few household effects were saved.

SMITH BIDS IN OTTER FOR $800

Will Recondition Seized Motorboat for Pleasure

With but three bidders in the market, the motor vessel Otter yesterday afternoon was sold by N. A. Gunter, assistant collector of customs for the Sabine district to R. P. Smith, one of the officials of the Sabine Ice Water and Towing company. The price bid in by Smith was $800.

The initial bid for the boat was $560, three bids in succession raising the ante to $800 which was the final amount.

The Otter was seized recently in these waters in connection with rum running activities and was furnished as a fishing boat. It is understood her new owner will recondition the ship and make her over into a pleasure craft. She carries a spread of canvas and a motor auxiliary engine.

Read News Classified ads.

TOURISTS FIND P. A. ADVERTISED

Local Couple See Much Road Work in Progress

That Port Arthur is well advertised throughout Texas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, Arkansas and Tennessee, is the opinion of T. G. Cordua, who with Mrs. Cordua has just returned from an automobile tour of these states.

While in San Antonio Mr. Cordua took an opportunity of letting the large number of tourists there learn of Port Arthur, when he entered his automobile in the tourist parade with the placard bearing the words "Port Arthur, the Best Town on Earth, Let Us Tel You About It." Twenty-six states were represented by the tourists in the parade, which was sponsored by the Conopus Club on February 15.

Roads are being built throughout the entire section over which Mr. and Mrs. Cordua traveled, and according to Mr. Cordua, those planning to take summer vacations via automobile will probably have to detour many times on account of the work on the roads. "In my opinion, it will be only a matter of a few years before tourists will be able to travel the entire state on paved roads judging from the work now going forward," Mr. Cordua said.

INCREASE CAPITAL STOCK

AUSTIN, Feb. 29.—Fort Worth Power and Light company filed an amendment to its charter increasing capital stock from $6024,500 to $6,524,500.

'OLDER SISTER' IN HARRIS CASE

Gambler's Depositions Tell of Traveling With Girl

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.—The voice of Eli Raynor, Memphis gambler, spoke from the witness stand in the Beverely D. Harris divorce case today through depositions taken by attorneys for the former vice president of the National City Bank, who is seeking to annul his marriage with the southern beauty, Elaine Lee.

Claims to Be Daughter

Raynor is the man with whom Harris alleges his wife was intimate before marriage. Mrs. Harris claims she is Raynor's illegitimate daughter.

In the deposition, Raynor admitted paying Elaine's expenses and traveling with her on several occasions. But he insisted there is a sister, Samuella, older than Elaine, and it is the identity of this older sister which promises to play an important part in Mrs. Harris' defense.

Charges Love Match

George Gordon Battle, attorney for the defendant, claimed Raynor's story of his friendship with Mrs. Lee, Elaine's mother, and of his kindly treatment of the girl, indicated there was ground for the defense claim of a love match and subsequent illegitimate birth of the defendant.

Raynor did not admit intimacy with Mrs. Lee, but Battle indicated the defense would stress this point.

The defense also will try to thrust upon this other sister, Samuella, or "Sissie" the blame attached by certain witnesses to the defendant.

The French parliament has approved a project for the construction of a plant that will obtain power from ocean tides.

DAIGLE TAKEN HOME

E. S. Daigle, 204 East Fifteenth street, has returned to his residence from Mary Gates hospital, where he underwent an operation recently. Daigle is well on the road to recovery, friends said today.

BANK HOLIDAY NOTICE

The banks of Port Arthur will observe the following legal holiday, and will not be open for business on the below mentioned day, to-wit:

MONDAY, MARCH 3RD
Texas Independence Day

FIRST NATIONAL BANK
MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK
SEABOARD STATE BANK & TRUST CO.

Miss Hallie Pritchard
Presents
Edna G. Williams
In
Classic Dancing Recital
Assisted by Local Talent
at
ELKS THEATRE
Saturday March 1st
8:00 p. m.
Admission: Adults 25c
All School Children Free

KI-MOIDS
QUICK RELIEF
For INDIGESTION

Always Take
HILL'S CASCARA BROMIDE QUININE
Relieves
COLD IN 24 HOURS
LA GRIPPE IN 3 DAYS
All Druggists—30 cents

Liberty THEATRE
Open 10 a. m. to 11 p. m.
TODAY
"Way of a Man"
NO. 3
David Butler
—In—
"The Milky Way"
"TUG BOAT ROMEO"
SUN. — SUN. — SUN. — SUN.
Jack Hoxie
—In—
"The Man From Wyoming"

Pimples

BLOOD impurities are pumped by the heart into the face. That is what causes that grainy appearance, that muddiness, sallowness, pimples, blackheads, acne, red spots, and that impossible "something" which no face cream, massage, or face powder can cover up or beautify! The foundation for a beautiful skin simply is not there, and no face treatment can give it to you. But increase your red-blood-cells,—and quickly the ruby tint of purity begins to glow in the cheeks, the complexion becomes venus-like and immaculate! Try it. It will do it every time. S. S. S. builds the red-blood-cells you need for a beautiful complexion. Begin using S. S. S. at once, and give yourself what you have been working for, for years

S. S. S. is sold at all good drug stores in two sizes. The larger size is more economical.

S.S.S. The World's Best Blood Medicine

Step Lively Now!
SPRING OXFORDS

AUTHENTIC as the days on the calendar are these new Oxfords. They'll put the spring in the new season. Here they are—easy fitting and comfort giving and wear resisting. Featured at

Buy Quality It Cuts Costs **$10** In the Long Run

Haber's INC.
The Home of Hart Schaffner and Marx Clothes

ELKS MONDAY MARCH **3**
Personal Appearance
NEIL O'BRIEN
in the first part and his funny street car act. Also
BERT SWOR
"Sugarfoot," Gaffney J. Lester, Haberkorn and 40 others

NEIL O'BRIEN SUPER MINSTRELS BERT SWOR

ALSO
RILEY/SWIFT
Port Arthur's Own Boy
75c to $2.00
Seats Now On Sale at Theater
Phones 410 and 632

Holton Theatres

PEOPLES THEATRE
LAST 2 DAYS
MAE MURRAY
—In—
"Fashion Row"
The Different
Mae Murray

STOP! LOOK! LISTEN!
"Red Lights"

PEARCE THEATRE
LAST DAY
"Three Twins"
PICTURE
"DISRAELI"

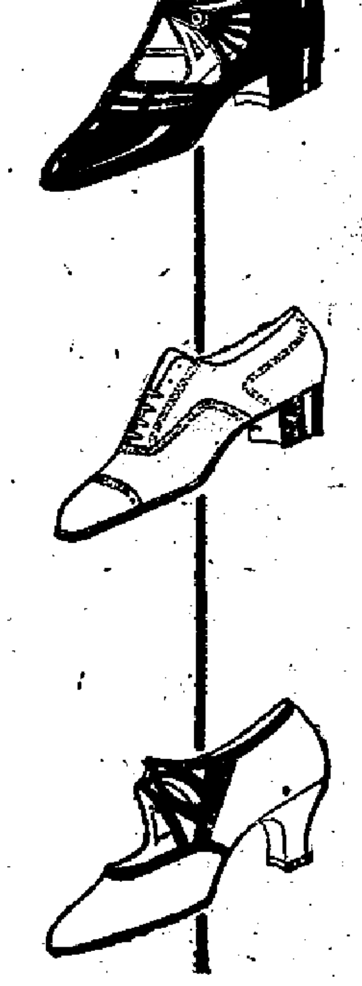
SAT., SUN., MON.
"ALMA WHERE DO YOU LIVE"
On the Screen
LITTLE WILDCAT

Strand THEATRE
Starting Tomorrow
NORMA TALMADGE
—In—
"Song of Love"

TODAY
'Green Goddess'
With GEORGE ARLISS and ALICE JOYCE
Also
PICTURES MADE IN PORT ARTHUR

Deutser's Shoe Sale Continues

For the benefit of those that could not get waited on and owing to the inclement weather we are going to give the Port Arthur women the biggest and best opportunity to buy
The newest styles and the best merchandise at the very lowest prices.



All Prices Greately Reduced

Every pair of shoes in our extensive stock has been drastically reduced in price for this sale. All sizes. All widths. All typse. All styles.

Models Formerly up to $12.00 Now
$5.95

Oxfords, and strap pumps in calfskin, kidskin, suede and patent leather, featuring collegiate, military and box heels. A wide and varied assortment.

Models Formerly up to $10.00 Now
$4.95

Dainty slippers for afternoon and evening wear in patent, kid, suede, satin, in all shades, featuring high Louis heels, box heels and Spanish heels.

See our window display of new spring wear.

A Special Group of Shoes at $2.95
Models that formerly sold as high as $8.00
A wide assortment of smart models in broken sizes, though all sizes and widths are well represented. Tailored, dressy and sport styles.

Expert shoe fitter to serve you at all times.

Many Special Values in SILK HOSIERY

In all the new colors for Spring

$1.50 Silg Hose **89c**
Ladies' semi-full fashion silk hose in msot all the new spring colors.

$1.98 Spuntex Hose **$1.39**
Ladies' thread silk hose in log cabin, otter, black, ooze and cinnamon, all sizes.

$2.29 Van Raalte Hose **$1.79**
Pure thread full fashion silk hose in black only.

$2.50 Silk Hose **$1.95**
This group nicludes the new spring colors in Kayser, Hillison and Monarch.

Paris Hose **$2.19**
Paris thread silk hose in black, brown, thrush, meadowlark, biege, pearl and log cabin.

$3.00 Silk Hosiery **$2.45**
Ladies' all silk full fashion hose in bamboo, green, log cabin, black and polo.

$3.50 Kayser Chiffon Hose **$2.85**
Fine qualit ysheer weight chiffon silk hose in black, white, biege and fawn.

$4.00 Corticelli Hose **$3.19**
Extra fine quality sheer weight hose in African, log cabin, black and Paris cinnamon.

65c Misses' Hose **49c**
Misses' three-quarter length hose in gray, cordovan, pongee, biege, and white, with fancy contrasting cuffs.

New Spring Frocks Specially Priced

$35.00

The most fascinating selection of spring frocks we have ever been able to offer to the fashion lovers in the newest colors and materials that are so popular for eraly spring wear.

Smart Frocks
$19.50

Ysc, and the styles are the latest creations of Dame Fashion shown here in a wide range of new colors.

See Our Display of new spring suits and coats.

Deutser's

New Styles arriving daily from fashion's headquarters.

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...rt Arthur Churches Begin Contest for Port Arthur News Trophy Tomorrow

...RES FOR ... PRESENT GIVEN

Pastors Have Been Busy Making Preparations

Tomorrow sees the start of the Sunday School attendance and enrollment campaign!

Practically all of the churches in Port Arthur have signified their willingness to enter the Port Arthur News Sunday School contest, and tomorrow's attendance and enrollment at the various churches will be the first lap in the race.

Enrollment Checked

The pastor and the Sunday School superintendent of each church entering the contest have been busy this past week checking up the enrollment of each church and removing from their rolls the names of those Sunday School students who did not attend any Sunday during the month of February. The percentage of increase and enrollment will be based on this number.

Rules and regulations governing the contest have been drawn up and endorsed by the Ministerial Alliance. A copy of these rules and regulations has been published and each church has a copy.

The final count and report on attendance each Sunday is to be completed not later than thirty minutes after the regular opening time of the school, and each school shall make its report to the News office not later than 10 o'clock each following Monday morning during the period of the contest, according to the rules.

In accordance with the rule stating that each school will make a careful check of its enrollment before the contest begins and remove all names from the roll that have not attended any during the past month, the following reports have been received:

First Baptist	825
First Christian	454
First M. E. Church, South	
Central Baptist	235
First Methodist Episcopal	251
Memorial Baptist	161
Church of the Nazarene	137
First Presbyterian	124
St. George's Episcopal	85
Mexican Methodist Sunday School	17

TRINITY LUTHERAN
Fourteenth and San Antonio
F. W. Sieblitz, Pastor

Sunday school at 9 a. m. H. J. Moerbe, Supt.

Divine service with celebration of ... Lord's Supper at 10 a. m. The ...ratory service begins at 9:15

... will will be no service Sun-...

... Walther League Sunday

...eek lenten service next Wed... at 7:30 p. m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN
Fifth and Beaumont
R. R. Velderman, Minister

Bible School, 9:45 a. m. Mrs. H. B. Stanley, Supt.

Members of the church and Christian Bible school, remember the contest starts today. The Port Arthur News is offering a fine loving cup to the Bible school showing the largest percentage of increase in enrollment plus average attendance. As a member, get into the game, and come out to Bible school at 9:45.

Morning service 10:45. Sermon, "Remember Jesus Christ."

At 3 o'clock the pastor will preach at the First Christian church of Nederland. Theme, "The Plea of The Christian Brotherhood."

The church at Nederland invites members from the Port Arthur church to visit them on this occasion. All who desire to attend the Nederland service, be at the church, corner Fifth and Beaumont, not later than 2:15 p. m.

Evening church service, 7:30. Sermon, "A Red-Blooded Man's Religion."

Christian Endeavor, Intermediates at 6 p. m.

Senior Endeavor at 6:30 p. m.

Mr. S. W. Button of Fort Worth will make a short address at this service.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
1601 Sixth Street
L. E. Carpenter, Minister

Bible study 9:45 a. m.

Preaching and worship 10:40 a. m. and 7:15 p. m.

Regular monthly business meeting Friday 7:15 p. m.

Prayer meeting and Bible drill Wednesday, 7:15 p. m.

Ladies Bible study Thursday 2 p. m. All the members are urged to attend these services.

We desire the hearty co-operation of every member in our special efforts to enlarge our Bible study in all its departments.

Our spring meeting begins the first Sunday in May. You have a special invitation to attend all our services.

We have a New Testament church, with simple New Testament worship and a new testament message of salvation to lost man.

FIRST BAPTIST
Shreveport and 5th
C. W. Culp, Pastor

At 9:30 Sunday school will begin. This is the first Sunday of The News contest and we are anticipating a large attendance of members as well as increase in membership. All classes meet at the church with the exception of the Men's Bible class, which meets at the Peoples theater.

The pastor will fill the pulpit at ... morning and evening services, ... morning service beginning at ... and the evening at 7:30. ... will be congregational singing, special music and a sermon from ... of God at both services.

... B. Y. P. U.'s meet at 6 o'clock for ... service. We are having close to two hundred young people in this work and a cordial invitation is extended to all young people not elsewhere enlisted, to train with us.

FIRST M. E. SOUTH
1341 Fifth Street,
V. A. Godbey, Pastor.

Sunday school, 9:30 a. m., G. K. Lomax, superintendent.

Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by V. A. Godbey. Morning theme, "Conquest by Teaching". Evening theme, "Isaac and Rebecca".

Epworth Leagues meet 6:15 p. m.

Mexican Sunday school and preaching, 2 p. m. on the first floor.

Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. on the first floor.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper at both hours Sunday. If Rev. J. M. Gordon of Silsbee is not prevented from doing so, he will assist the pastor in administering the Sacrament at the morning hour, and may preach the morning sermon.

Sunday school will make its first showing in the Sunday school contest next Sunday, and we want every member to be present if possible, and take part in the big rally.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST
1211 Fifth st.

Services: Sunday, 11 a. m.

Subject: "Christ Jesus."

Sunday school 9:30 a. m.

Wednesday evening testimonial meeting, 8 o'clock.

A reading room is open at the same location every weekday, except holidays, from 1 to 4:30 p. m.

ST. GEORGE'S EPISCOPAL
Rev. John Ridout, Jr., Rector.

9:30 a. m.—Sunday school, C. H. Comfort, superintendent.

11 a. m.—Holy communion and sermon by the rector.

6:30 p. m.—Young People's Service League.

Mr. Ridout will meet a class for confirmation at the Sunday school or by appointment at any time.

FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL
Corner Stilwell and Lake Shore Drive
C. W. Rodgers, Pastor.

Sunday school, 9:30. One of the pastors of the city has suggested that the "News" hand them over the "trophy" now and save them the trouble of doing so later. Members of First Methodist church it is up to you. What are you going to do about it?

Morning worship, 10:45, subject of sermon, "Jesus' Defense of Love That Did Not Count the Cost."

Special duet, "Hold Thou My Hand" Mrs. E. G. Ruffner and Mr. C. V. Palmer.

Epworth League, 6:30.

Evening worship, 7:30. Special anthem by the choir. The young people's orchestra is being much appreciated. Subject of the sermon, "The Practical Value of the Mysterious".

Regular official board meeting, Tuesday evening at 7:30 in the pastor's study.

Bible study and open house Wednesday evening, 7:30

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL
Corner Mobile and Sixth.

Sunday school 9:45 a. m. W. J. Steck superintendent.

Church service, 11 a. m. Dr. Robert H. Milligan formerly pastor of Rose City Presbyterian church, Portland, Ore., and more recently of New York City, will again occupy the pulpit.

There will be no church service in the evening.

Christian Endeavor Society will meet at 6:30 p. m.

MEMORIAL BAPTIST
West Sixteenth Street
J. F. Dobbs, Pastor

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Mrs. Hazel Woolman superintendent, Leonard Mayor assistant.

Preaching at 11 a. m. Subject, "Samuel at Ebenezer."

B. Y. P. U. meetings at 6:30 conducted by Mrs. Woolman and Mrs. Rena Smith.

Preaching at 7:30 p. m. Subject, "Striving to Enter In."

An interesting class in the Sunday School Manual was conducted during this week taught by Rev. T. E. Cannedy, pastor of the Central Baptist church. We will give the names of those securing diplomas next week.

The Port Arthur News Sunday School contest begins Sunday. Let every member of the church and Sunday school exert themselves to bring every new pupil possible. The Memorial Baptist Sunday school can win if everybody will work.

We are in the contest not merely for the loving cup offered by the Daily News but for the glory of Christ and His Church and the betterment of our own city.

CENTRAL BAPTIST
Corner Sixth and St. Augustine
T. E. Cannedy, Pastor.

Sunday school at 10 o'clock, A. W. Smith, superintendent. The three months' contest for the Sunday schools of the city begins Sunday, March 2.

Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., the pastor occupying the pulpit both hours. Today is a home coming service and every member of the church is urged to attend either the morning or evening service. Some announcement concerning the new church building project will be made.

Interesting program in our six B. Y. P. U.'s will be given at 6:15 p. m. A cordial invitation to attend our training services.

Midweek prayer service Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Fifth Street and Waco Ave.
Rev. S. W. Hamoton, Pastor.

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.

Morning worship and sermon by the pastor 11 a. m.

Junior Y. P. S., 5 p. m.

Senior Y. P. S., 6 p. m.

Evangelistic service, 7:15 p. m.

Prayer meeting Tuesday, 7:30 p. m.

Ladies Prayer Band Wednesday, 3 p. m.

Ladies Missionary Auxiliary all day Thursday.

French service interpreted into English Friday, 7:30 p. m.

"ENDS THE QUEST FOR THE BEST"

$100,000 FUND MAY BE USED

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which exists in the funds of Drainage District No. 6, amounting to $100,000.

"But here the question arises, can this money be spent out of the district voting it?"

Purely Legal Question

HOWARD SMITH—This is I take it, a purely legal question.

J. S. VAUGHAN—In the law no mention is made of the authority to spend money outside the district. In this connection, however, I believe some provision can be made to spend money out of the district to remedy a condition caused by that district's laterals.

HERBERT HENDERSON—You have the maps on which districts Nos. 14 and 17 are plotted? The trouble is all coming out of Taylor's Bayou. Beaumont organized drainage district No 6 by taking in other districts there and spent a million dollars dredging the bayous. This resulted in a jam of water and speeding up the current in Taylor's Bayou. Because of this condition the water on the upper side of the locks is about a foot and one-half higher than it is on the lower side.

"Under the plan suggested by County Engineer White, Beaumont district should reverse the flow of Big Hill Bayou and dig a canal 10 miles long, bringing this water into the ship canal near Keith's Lake Gulley. This canal would be 100 feet wide by 6 feet deep and might be built for the amount of the surplus or a little more.

Says Canal Large Enough

GEORGE CRAIG—Why would you have to dump this water into the ship canal?

HENDERSON—The ship canal is large enough to take care of the body of water.

CRAIG—The levees and the spoil bank of the canal now keep the water from this big piece of land from draining into Sabine Lake. Before the canal was constructed the drainage of this land went over the shores of Lake Sabine in a great flood, but they are dammed away from their natural course now. I believe a canal a mile long from the lake nearest the gulf coast to the gulf would serve the same purpose as this ten mile ditch for it would drain the water off through the natural courses.

Engineering Problem

J. H. MERRITT—How would you keep the mouth of the canal from filling up because of the waves ... throwing sand back, Mr. Craig?

CRAIG—Well the current which would come through the mouth of the cut into the gulf would suffice to take care of that. The water itself would keep the cut scoured out because it would run through there like a mill race.

"There is this about it, however, you would have less trouble from this point than you would if you dumped this water into the canal, for the canal would be shoaling continually, and I doubt if the government engineers would care to have this cut emptying into the canal. This would create a dangerous cross current at this point and make it dangerous for ships coming up the canal to keep them being swept across to the opposite side of the canal.

When we first dug the canal up from Sabine Pass there were a few cross into it and it was necessary to send a dredge down to the mouths of each every year to clean out the shoals that had formed there.

SMITH—Wouldn't it remedy matters any if we were to get the locks changed Mr. Henderson?

HENDERSON—No, I believe not. The locks now on the Taylor Bayou laterals are too small to permit a sufficient volume of water to go through and if any more went through it is liable to get out of the banks and spread over all that country which is low in there.

CRAIG—Why not tap Keith's Lake through the gulley and relieve the entire situation through the lakes and bayous leading down there?

Only Feasible Plan

HENDERSON—This other plan for the 10 mile canal would take care of thousands of cubic feet of water a second and is the only feasible plan in view of the limited amount of money available.

CRAIG—Well when the drainage could not get out to Sabine Lake years ago because of the railroad embankments, many of the cattlemen of that country collected heavy damages from the road when thousands of cattle were drowned in the flood waters.

SMITH—Am I right in understanding the commissioners' court has asked us for a suggestion as to how this condition may be relieved?

HUGHES—Yes, but I do not believe all the surplus will be available for this work for some straightening out of the bayous about the locks is contemplated by the commissioners' court.

Lohmann Asks Action

HENRY LOHMANN—As I understand it there will be only $50,000 left after this work is completed. In this connection I move we go on record as endorsing the plan suggested by Engineer White and as a second choice that suggested by George Craig in case we cannot get our first plan through. Also will you appoint a committee, Mr. Chairman to attend the commissioners' court meeting Monday to take care of this matter?

The motion was put and carried, Howard Smith appointing Henderson, chairman, Logan, Lohmann and Craig on this committee.

The plan suggested by the county engineer to relieve this district starts the 10 mile canal at the Drummond rice farm on Big Hill Bayou to Keith's Lake gulley.

Efforts will be made to interest the McFadden interests in a canal if a straight cut can be made to the gulf through the marshes south by west of this city.

TO CHECK RAIL LINE'S FIGURES

Decision Is Reserved on K. C. S. Petition

LAKE CHARLES, La., March 1.—The case of the Kansas City Southern railway asking for the discontinuance of passenger trains 11 and 12, between Shreveport and Lake Charles, was taken under advisement Wednesday after a hearing before the Louisiana Public Service commission. Huey P. Long, chairman of the commission, announced that decision in the case would be withheld until several of the exhibits offered by the railroad relative to the earnings of the trains are checked.

Mr. Long also announced that he would also investigate to see if there had not been a gain in traffic on all trains operating between Shreveport and Lake Charles.

The railway company based its petition on the plea that the average net earnings on all trains operated between Shreveport and Lake Charles are 51.9 cents per train mile. Exclusive of trains 11 and 12 the gross earnings of passenger trains between the two points four months, ending Nov. 30, 1923 were $1.77 per mile, the railway alleged.

Several citizens residing along the railroad protested against the discontinuance of the trains.

An order excluding the freight rates on the following commodities from being affected by order 179 of February 11 was issued by the commission: Bags, burlap machinery, molasses, syrup, fertilizer, and fertilizer compounds, other than acid, phosphate velvet beans, soy beans, cowpeas and other beans and peas used for fertilizer purposes.

The world's consumption of matches has been estimated at seven a day for each person.

Miss Hallie Pritchard
Presents
Edna G. Williams
In
Classic Dancing Recital
Assisted by Local Talent
at
ELKS THEATRE
Saturday March 1st
8:00 p. m.
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All School Children Free

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PORT IS ACTIVE AS WEEK ENDS

Shenandoah Reaches Bar; Other Ships Due

The Texas Company's tanker Shenandoah, out of Mobile, is anchored off Sabine bar cleaning tanks, and will probably come in to the Texas Company's terminals here Saturday or Sunday, according to advices received from the vessel.

The U. S. naval tanker Cuyama, bound for the Magnolia company's terminals at Beaumont, was among the arrivals Saturday. Other ships coming in were the cargo ship Kenowis, from New Orleans to Port Arthur, to load out at the Texas Company's terminals; the Texas Company's tanker Roanoke, from the Delaware river; and the cargo ship Steadfast, from Galveston to Port Neches.

Expected arrivals included two tankers to the Gulf Refining company these being the Gulflight, from Philadelphia, and the Sucrosa, from Tampico; and the Texas Company's tanker Harvester, from London. The Gulf company's tanker Gulfking is reported today to be among the ships expected to reach Port Arthur Sunday.

ARRIVED MARCH 1

Vessel, Flag, Tonnage, Agent, Location.

Kenowis, 3129, from New Orleans to Port Arthur, Lykes Sgitcovich.

Roanoke, 5165, from Delaware river to Port Arthur, Texas Company.

Steadfast, 4851, from Galveston to Port Neches, Lykes Sgitcovich

U. S. S. Cuyama, from U. S. naval stations to Beaumont, Magnolia company.

Gulflight, 3202, from Philadelphia to Port Arthur, Gulf company.

Sucrosa, 3434, from Tampico to Port Arthur, Gulf company.

Harvester, 5114, from London to Port Arthur, Texas Company.

West Hesseltine, 3166, from Beaumont for Port Arthur, Sydney C. Collin company.

SAILED MARCH 1

Rapallo (Ital), 3941, from Port Arthur for Sabine E. Papich

West Hesseltine, 3166, from Beaumont for Port Arthur, Sydney C. Collin company.

Winifred, 1510, from Port Arthur for Jacksonville, Gulf company.

IN PORT ARTHUR

Coastwise Docks

Suphenco, 2171, Transmarine corporation.

Texas Company Docks

Sch Blakely, 1731, Texas Company.

Kenowis, 3129, Lykes-Sgitcovich

Roanoke, 5165, Texas Company.

Harvester, 5114, Texas Company.

West Hesseltine, 3166, Sydney C. Collin company.

Gulf Company Docks

Gulfoil, 3202, Gulf company.

War Nizam (Br), 3435, Chas. Martin company.

Gulflight, 3202, Gulf company.

Sucrosa, 3434, Gulf company.

Ship Basin

Ship Marion Chilcott, 1510, Chas. Martin company.

West Bank

Sch. Hope Sherwood, 522, off charter.

Slip No. 2

Brig Geneva, 452, Munger T. Ball.

Bark S. G. Wilder, 550, laid up.

AT PORT NECHES

Steadfast, 4854, Lykes-Sgitcovich.

Pennsylvania, 5048, Texas Company.

AT ORANGE

Eda (Nor), 1090, W. H. Tippin company.

Manzanilla (Cuban), 1178, Hall Shipping company.

AT BEAUMONT

Nishmaha, 3729, Lykes-Sgitcovich.

O. T. Waring, 3879, Magnolia company.

Surico, 2171, Transmarine corporation.

U. S. S. Cuyama, U. S. N., Magnolia company.

VESSELS DUE TO ARRIVE

Patrick Henry, due Feb. 28 to Lykes-Sgitcovich.

Kenowis, due Feb. 29, to Lykes-Sgitcovich.

Union City, due March 8 to John E. Jones company.

Dryden, due March 10 to Lykes-Sgitcovich.

Rosetio, due March 5, to Texas Company.

Heffron, due March 31, to Lykes-Sgitcovich.

Grove, due April 1, to E. Papich.

BAROMETER READING

The corrected reading of the barometer (reduced to sea level) at the U. S. weather bureau office in Port Arthur, Texas, on Saturday, March 1, at 7 a. m. was 30.11 inches. This closely approximates 765.0 millimeters.

In the last year Americans ate more meat than ever before, according to the packers' national organization.

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Appointment by telegraph yesterday afternoon was made of Col. Russell H. Dunn, collector of customs for the Sabine District, as disbursing agent for the federal buildings in the Galveston zone.

Semi-monthly payrolls for more than 100 employes under custodians of the various buildings in the Galveston zone are to be handled by Collector Dunn under the new arrangement.

The list of cities whose federal building operators such as firemen and janitors are under his supervision reaches as far north as Waco and includes Bay City, Beaumont, Belton, Brownwood, Brenham, Bryan, Galveston, Hillsboro, Houston, Jefferson, Longview, Marlin, Marshall, Nacogdoches, Navasota, Palestine, Port Arthur, San Angelo, Temple, Tyler and Waco.

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Correction

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"Feeling Fine!"

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THE TANGLE — GULF COAST INDIAN GAMES PUZZLES FOR BOYS AND GIRLS JOKES STORIES RIDDLES

PRECIOUS STONES

Delicately-Colored Topaz

A few centuries ago in Europe the designing of beautiful jewelry was considered the work of an artist, thus the talented goldsmith was respected and given honors along with the famous portrait and landscape painters of the day. The work of his hands was usually intricate and delicate, employing the use of many metals and a great variety of precious stones in combination.

Kings, queens and courtiers vied in collecting the costly products of the master of "Joaillerie," as the person was called who mounted diamonds and precious stones. Great pride was displayed in the selection of the jewelry, some of the ladies having as many changes of jewels as they had gowns. It was the boast of one old wag that he never wore the same jewel twice.

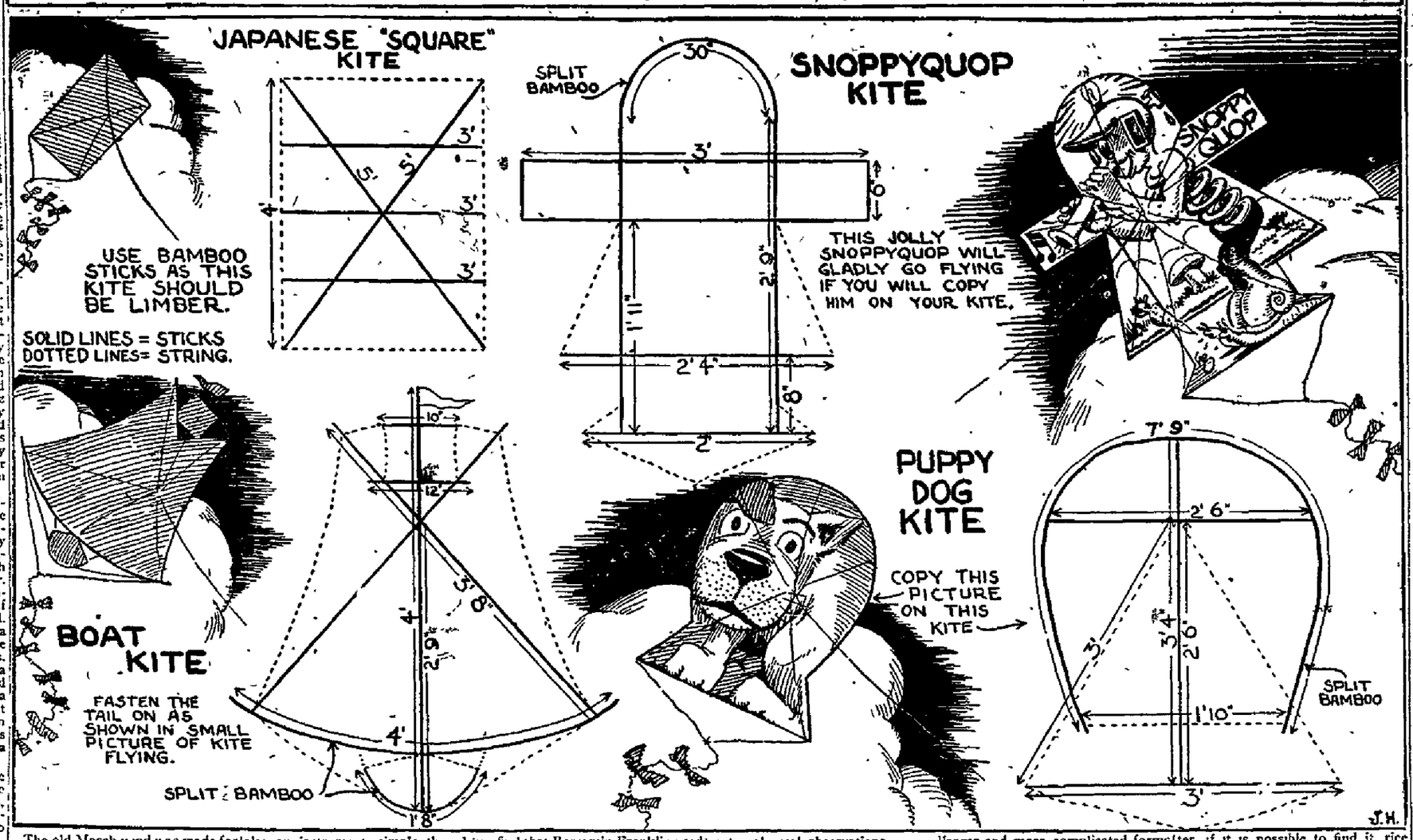
The picture shows a topaz necklace of the style popular in France. The topaz is a stone that must be handled with care, for if it is left in the light too long its rich transparent color fades away. Usually the stone is yellow or a delicate brown, but it has been found also in greenish white, blue, pale pink and dull red. The most desirable topaz is pink, but since this hue is rarely found, darker stones are now faded to the desired shade by a process called "pinking." It is done by wrapping the jewel in German tinder and burning it, or by baking it in hot plaster of Paris.

Next in importance are the brilliant blue and green topazes. The yellow and brown are the most common types, and are generally "pinked" for combination with expensive stones, but they are worth very little in their natural color. The white topaz is found in unusual, rare sizes in Brazil, the chief topaz-mining country in the world. Siberia, Asia Minor, Peru and a number of other countries have topaz resources in small quantities.

The topaz is usually cut with a rounded surface and flat back, and is rarely engraved upon, being a very hard stone. Its beauty is best displayed when it is cut in the form of a brilliant. When cut in this style, it is often mistaken for a diamond.

It used to be claimed that if the topaz is worn in a gold ring on the left hand, the power of nightmares, magic, witchcraft can be overthrown. This jewel brings luck to all whose birthday falls in November.

HERE ARE FOUR NEW KITES READY FOR WINDY MARCH DAYS



The old March wind was made for kite-flying! One of these fine, breezy days you'll wish you had a wood and paper ship ready to sail the clouds, or a Snoppyquop scout to send up to investigate the spring weather. Then why not select a model from the group of winners above and get it rigged up in flying shape so that the first windy day will not find you unprepared for the fun?

When you put together a kite, you're not only making a toy, but also an instrument, simple though it is, that's been used in scientific invention and construction. The first kites were made by Chinese boys thousands of years ago for playthings. They had the best sort of materials—light-weight bamboo and rice paper, which they decorated with flying fish and red dragons. Kite-flying was a favorite amusement of the Japanese and Hindus a long time ago.

Coming down to the present day, we find that Benjamin Franklin used a kite to prove that lightning is electricity. A kite string carried the first wire across Niagara Falls for the erection of a suspension bridge, then a heavier wire was drawn across by the lighter one, and a heavier one still by that, until a cable spanned the river. Kites have been used for opening up communication with great heights such as high chimneys and mountain peaks, using the kite line to draw up a heavier one. Kites have even been used for meteorological observations.

Follow the directions given and your kite will be a successful one. May it fly long and high!

The simpler kites of the smaller sizes, that is, two feet and under, should be made first. Kites, you know, are very delicate to construct and balance, but not too hard if the boy (or girl, too, for that matter) uses care. Experience with a small kite will enable you to make larger and more complicated forms later on.

The object to strive after is the greatest degree of lightness possible, plus strength and balance. Sticks that are light enough to use are spruce, tamarack, Norway pine, red cedar, white pine and elm. They should be cut of a thickness which is about one-thirtieth of the kite length. Cedar and spruce particularly bend well. For the cover use a good, tough tissue paper, or better, if it is possible to find it, rice paper from a Japanese or Chinese shop. Brown wrapping paper does very well also.

Notice in the diagrams that very few sticks are used. They are stiff and strong, though, and the kite string and tail are arranged so that the kite will balance. Kite sticks are weakened by nailing or tacking, except on very large ones, so you must lash them securely instead. If you glue them and tie them as well your kite joints are doubly secure.

A STRANGE [illegible]

"Do you know [illegible] world?" asked the Pansy [illegible] had just been planted [illegible] Pea seed who had been [illegible] a week or so.

"I only know that [illegible] in it," returned the Sweet [illegible] a groan, "and people are [illegible]."

"Crazy?" inquired the Pansy [illegible] always supposed they were [illegible].

"You won't think so when I tell you what's been happening to me. Last week a little girl planted me in the ground, covered me over with earth, and watered me. I appreciated very much being planted, and no doubt before long I should have begun to grow, but the very next day what did that child do but come out and dig me up to see if I'd begun to sprout! And when she saw I hadn't, she planted me again, only to come back the next day to dig me up again. Every day since, she's come out with her rake and muussed my home all up and I'm so provoked with her I doubt if I'll ever grow at all!"

"Do you know what I'd do if anybody treated me like that?" asked the Pansy unexpectedly. "I'd sprout and grow, but when I bloomed in the summer, I'd make faces at her."

"Yes, Pansies can do that," agreed the Sweet Pea, "just as Poppies can grow up and put people to sleep. But, alas, in the slang phrase of the world we're growing into, I have no come-back. I'm as helpless as the Four O'Clock!"

"What about the Four O'Clock?" was the Poppy's reply.

"The Phlox over there will tell you. She's a perennial and has seen the world a great many times. Do tell this new little seed the good joke the world played on the Four O'Clock last year."

"Well," began the Phlox with great dignity, "as you have heard, I'm a perennial, and come up every year. For years and years I watched my friend, the Four O'Clock, with her crisp red and white and pink blossoms come out every afternoon, just at tea time when the sun dial points the hour of four. That's where she got her name, you see, and it was delightful to see how well she bore it out to the exact dot every day.

But last year, the world, that's always thinking up novel ways of saving time, decided on this Daylight Saving plan. The people turned their clocks up an hour to make the working day one that could be crowded in while it was still light. And so what used to be eight o'clock became nine o'clock, and what had been four o'clock was now five!

"Think of the effect on that poor flower! Every day she nearly broke her poor stem trying to bloom at what was really three o'clock, and she would make it by the time the clock said four, and as a matter of fact never getting there until it was five."

A BOY HOLDS UP A MIDNIGHT FLYER

The train from New York steamed into the station on Track No. 3 at the same time the Midnight Flyer came thundering down Track 5. It was eleven o'clock and the station was almost deserted. Since there were no passengers to get on either train and none alighted to the village platform, the brakeman swung his lantern sleepily, and Billy, with his tray of coffee and sandwiches, sighed. "Might of known I wouldn't get a chance of makin' any money this time o' night," he grumbled.

He carried his tray back to the lunchroom, and trudged back to the platform again to start wearily home. Outside the door, Billy stopped with an exclamation. "Well look at that!" He saw a small boy in a bathrobe and bedroom slippers coming down the platform toward him. The lad walked a bit uncertainly, as though not knowing quite where he was going. "Must be a stranger from somewhere," murmured Billy. "Kids don't go around here in their night clothes." The child was coming toward Billy.

"Do anything for you, Boy?" he asked. The small lad made no answer. He almost stumbled over Billy, pushing straight ahead, his eyes fixed. "Walkin' in his sleep!" The solution hit Billy with force. "Boy! Hey, wake up!"

By the time Billy had succeeded in shaking the lad to his senses, the conductor of the Midnight Special, the brakeman, even the ticket agent had come running to his side.

"Where's my father?" asked the sleep-walker, rubbing his eyes, frightened to find himself on a cold platform in the company of strange people.

"Which train did you get off?" asked the agent.

"I—I don't know," was the dazed reply.

"But where are you going?" pressed the conductor.

"With father, somewhere. I can't remember!" The boy began to cry. At that moment the whistle from the train nearest blew the warning signal of starting.

"Engineer! Stop! Stop!" screamed Billy. The man leaned from the cab window. Billy gaspingly explained that a boy had wandered off one of the trains in his sleep and nobody knew on which he belonged.

"Say," frowned the engineer, "I can't hold this train. I've got the chief of the road on this trip and the old grouch'd raise a row if I'd get off schedule."

"But we've got to get the passengers up on the sleepers and find out whose kid he is," pleaded Billy.

When Billy got back to the group, the lad was sobbing too hard to answer the storm of questions that was coming from them all. Two minutes went by and the engineer of the Flyer whistled another warning. Another argument on Billy's part brought the promise he'd wait five more. Meanwhile the crowd increased and the boy's wails grew worse.

It was at this point that the porter of the special coach bearing the director of the road came to the door. A very distinguished, but very angry gentleman followed. "Will somebody explain the cause of this needless delay," he thundered. "Only a whistling post, and you wait——" Suddenly he stopped.

"Father!" came a cry from the howling, shivering boy, as he broke from the crowd.

Five minutes later when the Flyer had disappeared into the distance, Billy opened the palm into which the man had forced a bill. "Ten spotter off the director of the railroad! Gimmee! Lucky I stayed to sell sandwiches tonight!"

IN SNOPPYQUOP LAND

WHERE NOTHING SEEMS QUEER

Knight of the Bawth

See him galloping by, this Snoppyquop Paul Revere. He goes so fast that the capitol at Washington and the Woolworth building in New York get into the same picture. This is Sir Donkey Otey, the one-horse man-about-town, and the prize traveler of Snoppyquopville. He is always going, and so has to bathe en route. Luckily he goes so fast that it is always Saturday Knight. His faithful steed is a hardy animule, who never has had a flat tire. As Sir Donkey Otey adjusts the temperature of his bawth, so his pet Donkey sends out hot or cold steam through her nostrils. There is a window in his chest so he can see if his plumbing is getting rusty. A pane in the stomach wouldn't be so good. Good Knight!

PETER PUZZLE SAYS—

Where does he live? The answer is found in the couplet:

"Constant in 0, pleasant in all,
Ahmed the Turk must eventually fall."

Efficiency

Rastus was proudly sporting a new shirt when a friend said:

"Boy, how many yards does it take for a shirt like that?"

Rastus. "Say man, ah got three shirts like this outa one yard last night!"

If You Please—

"I see by your catalogue that you have just received two thousand pairs of ladies' court shoes from Vienna."

"Yes, madam."

"I wish to try them on!"

At the Circus

Lady: "What are those huge posts, tent poles?"

Workman: "Naw, lady; them's the toothpicks for the elephants."

Maybe a Vital Spot

Circus Leader: "If the leopard gets out, shoot him on the spot."

Guard: "Yes, sir; which spot?"

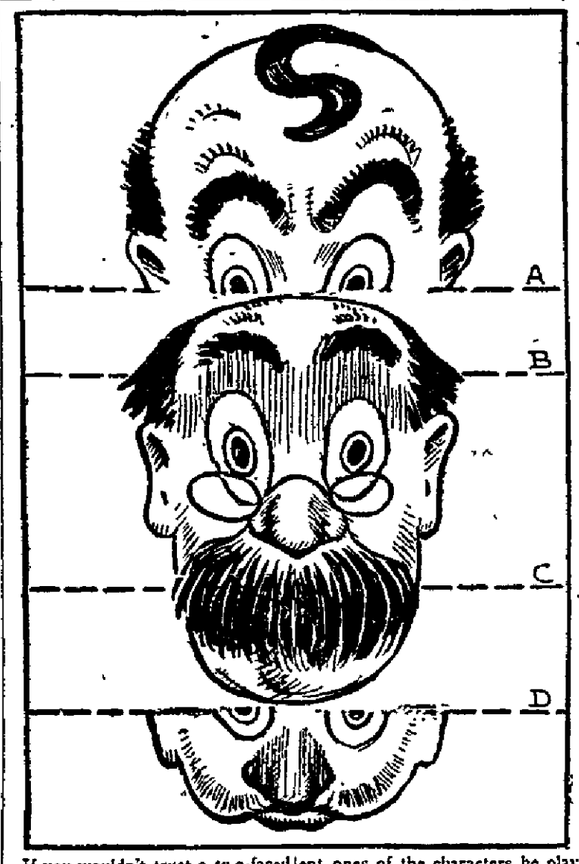
That's Right

Chemistry Teacher: "Name three articles containing starch."

Bright Student: "Two cuffs and a collar."

Answer to today's word puzzle: The Turk lives in Constantinople

THE FOUR-FACED TRICKSTER



If you wouldn't trust a two-faced man around the corner, what would you do about a four-faced one? The man in the picture here follows a stage career. Noted for the variety of his comedian make-up, he is always wildly applauded as he changes, in the twinkling of an eye, from one disguise to another. Grease-paint and eyebrow stick have little to do with it. He merely folds his face up into the desired effect.

By folding on the dotted lines, you may be allowed to see him in different ones of the characters he plays so admirably, the minister, the storekeeper, the crook and the unkind father-in-law.

The key picture (left) will show you how to fold in different ways to get the effects. Fold forward on A and back on B. Turn under the lower part on C. Now fold C forward and back on D, so lines A and D meet. Leaving D in this position, fold under the top picture on B. In all, you'll find you have four different disguises.

RANDY RIDDLE SAYS—

Why are pianos noble characters?

Look Close

He: "Has it ever been explained to you why you should not go in swimming after a big meal?"

She: "No."

He: "Because you won't find it there."

Big Enough

Per: "She was born with a silver spoon in her mouth."

Haps (taking a good look at her): "Rather looks as if it had been a ladle."

Poor Prune

Lady: "What have you in prunes?"

Grocery Boy: "Seeds, I think."

So Did We!

Jake: "Where is Dresden?"

Teacher: "In Germany, of course."

Jake: "Well, I always heard of Dresden, China."

Hard Luck

Young Lady: "Were you pleased with the new school, little boy?"

Little Boy: "Naw! They made me wash my face and when I went home de dorg bit me 'cause he didn't know me."

Easy

Senior: "Say, can you tell me how I can find the chemistry room?"

Soph: "Sure, ask somebody."

Answer to today's riddle: [illegible]

BASKETBALL

Passing The Ball

"Get rid of the ball" is good advice because basketball is a team work game. The ball invites trouble and many games are lost because the ball is held too long before passing. The short, fast passes are one of the most interesting features of the game.

Holding the ball will be eliminated if the quick pass game is played but it means that the players will have to "keep loose" from a guard and keep moving. Pass the ball in such a way that your player can reach it before the opponent—if possible, so your man is between the ball and his opponent.

Pass it also in a way that the player may make his next move quickly, without awkwardness. Do not pass it in such a way that time must be lost in catching, or so that the one who receives it must slow up to get it.

The two-handed snappy pass is better than the one-handed pass. The diagram shows the two-handed pass being used. It insures accuracy and can be made more quickly since the ball can be received and passed on with the same motion. It is passed with a wrist and elbow movement from the chest.

A one-handed pass may be made longer and with greater force, but the quick pass is far more in use. If there is a real good chance to use this long pass do not hesitate to do so. Do not let the long pass become a habit, however.

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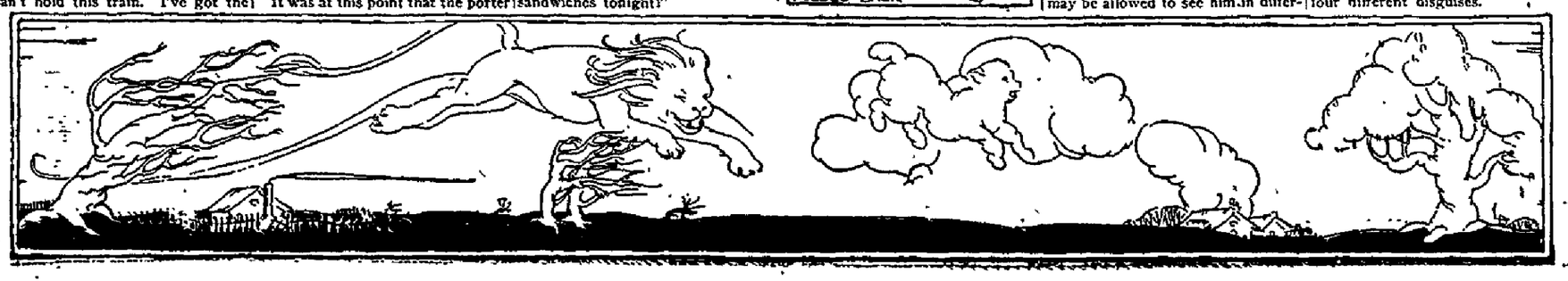

NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE®

The Editorial Mind

However, Comma—

Odds and Ends and Comment on Our Morning Mail

How safe is your home? One naturally thinks of home as a haven, but is it entirely safe? Not so much so as one would think.

There is a hazard to domestic life, according to the information service of the Metropolitan Life Insurance company. For instance in 1922 19 people out of every 100,000 in the United States were killed in accidents in their own homes. Thousands of others were made cripples, or were "laid up" with broken bones, sprains or other injuries.

You have to watch yourself to keep from getting run down when crossing the street; then if you get home safely, your troubles have just begun.

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Freak decrees of destiny or fate; coincidence, or whatever you may call it takes heavy tolls of human life. For instance, you would never think that a man who passed through five major engagements with the A. E. F. in the world war would meet his doom opening a can of sardines one day when his wife called him to do it because she couldn't find the can opener. He took his pocketknife. It slipped, gashed his hand and he died of blood poisoning.

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Then we are reminded of the story of the spinster aunt, afraid of automobiles, street cars, railways and ships, who refused a trip abroad because of its hazards. She sat in a lawn swing one summer afternoon and a branch of a tree above her cracked, fell and she died of its injuries. The rest of the family went to and came back from Europe safely, to lay roses at her grave.

If you are prone to draw morals, as good as any would seem to be to take things as you find them, but use your head.

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You may not know it, and you haven't got much to say about it, but right now there are in the realm of music men who know exactly what you're going to whistle when you go blithely about your work next spring. The phonograph records are made before the song is published. Then the song is "pushed." In other words arrangements are made with orchestras, vaudeville singers and others to sound away on it until it becomes popular when, presto, everybody will make a run on the music stores for records of it. That's what happened with that humana song. Might as well smile. You can't help yourself—not when music, so called, and scientific selling mix.

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Fish stories are important items of human interest and experience, says the Nation's Business, and the teeming life of the sea has ups and downs to match any fortune of the land. Port Arthur fishermen will agree with that. Take the young oyster, and many there are from Port Arthur who have traveled down the coast after a mother and filled their baskets with the succulent bi-valve. Oysters settle down to work after forty-eight hours of making a splash in their world. Some become pearl manufacturers and others just hang around the bars. Star-fish sometimes visit their communities and work the old shell game. Well, the oysters have made their beds—let them lie in it.

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Some of you old Gulf coast fishermen—have you ever heard of the whelk, with 220 to 250 teeth each, winkles with 3,500 and, back to this, the umbrella shell with 750,000?

There must be a gay time when all these little whelks and winkles are teething.

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Some years ago the highways were wearing out the automobiles. Now the automobiles are wearing out the highways. In the old days it was pretty hard to wear out a dirt road—you just battered your tires or your feet on your mules' feet against them and let it go at that. Then came the paved highway. Faster still came auto production. Now highways built to withstand traffic demands of ten years ago are being shown up as pretty poor jobs—not because the builders didn't know their jobs, but because they didn't know what they were up against.

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Now a statistician comes to the fore with a statement that the per capita consumption of shoes in the United States has been reduced between six and seven per cent in the last twenty years, because of automobiles and better highways. We ride more, walk less, and don't get our shoes wet as much as we used to.

Theoretically, we ought to have less rheumatism, but the statistician is silent on that point.

This riding more and walking less business may mean that some hundreds of years hence our legs will serve just about as much of useful purpose as our little toes.

When we start skimping use of our natural equipment Nature steps in and starts to relieve us of it.

DAUGHTER'S INTENDED

"It's a secret, but I'm going to marry a man very much in the public eye."

"What is he—a congressman?"

"No, dear, he's a waffle turner in a quick lunch window.—Film Fun.

WIFE HAS TASTE

"I believe you think more of my taste than you do of me."

"Doesn't wonder: I have been told that I had excellent taste."—Boston Transcript.

GOVERNOR M'CRAY OF INDIANA LOSES IN THE GAME OF POLITICS

Governor Warren T McCray of Indiana hasn't been impeached by the lawmakers of the Hoosier state nor is he going to resign the office. Now he has been indicted by a Federal Grand jury and the indictments charge the governor with using the mails in a scheme to defraud with violation of the national banking laws and with conspiracy to violate the national banking laws.

Governor McCray obtained many loans from banks throughout the middle west on cattle paper and according to the indictments 170 banks were defrauded by this distinguished dirt farmer who became governor of his native state and is the titular leader of the republican party of all Hoosierdom.

He was the boss farmer of his section, the boss livestock producer and the boss banker before his financial crash came in August of last year. He has more counts against him than Jack Walton of Oklahoma had photographs of himself and is charged with misapplication of the funds of his bank, falsification of records and reports to the Federal Reserve Bank in Chicago and abstraction of notes held by his bank.

Texas lawmakers impeached a governor because they said he had borrowed money from brewers. They not only impeached him but they cast him out. Oklahoma lawmakers impeached and removed a governor because they said he had pardoned convicts, padded payrolls and mis-applied public funds.

Warren T. McCray of Indiana has not been impeached. He is not going to be impeached. He will not resign unless he is convicted of wrong doing before the close of his term which takes place in November of this year.

He has given bail bonds galore for his appearance in state and federal courts when his cases are called and generally speaking he is having what the trained parrot calls 'aheluva time' all along the line.

It must be true that man was made to mourn. Five years ago McCray owned fifteen thousand acres of the finest land in Indiana; he owned great herds of pedigreed stock; he owned prosperous banks; he owned a magnificent reputation for integrity of the highest order.

Look at him now. Politics hasn't been a paying game for the champion dirt farmer of Hoosierdom.

JAMES L. SLAYDEN

James L. Slayden has passed on. He was a member of Congress from the Alamo district for twenty years and he was one of the most intelligent and industrious representatives that Texas has known since the close of the civil war.

He had traveled in many lands; he had read many books; he was familiar with history, ancient and modern; he was a friend of Andrew Carnegie and ever an advocate of the arbitration of affairs international as well as individual disputes.

He had an international reputation before Woodrow Wilson was called to the White House. He split with President Wilson on a minor issue in 1918 and then Wilson penned his first letter to the constituents of a national lawmaker on his blacklist. He asked the democrats of the Alamo district to keep Slayden at home and Slayden withdrew from the race.

He showed his weakness when he retired. Democratic leaders say that he would have been nominated by an overwhelming majority. Regardless of what they say, the Wilson letter closed the political career of James K. Slayden who was the ablest and the most valuable representative the people of the Alamo district had ever honored by their votes.

A PROSPERITY STRAW

American railways are in the market for 55,000 new freight cars. These orders will call for $25,000 tons of steel. Orders for 40,000 of the cars were placed this month. Prosperity in a presidential campaign year is a little out of the regular order of things. Teapot Dome is an incident. This republic is sound to the core and 95 per cent of its people are sound and patriotic and have faith in their flag and constitution. Three of four rotten apples on a tree never calls for the casting aside of the barrels of sound apples or for the cutting down of the tree. Another observation: rotten apples fall to the ground. Sound ones remain where nature placed them.

Quillen's Paragraphs

Oil, oil, everywhere, except in the well the nice man wishes to sell you stock in.

Books are things you write a check for every month following the visit of a charming young lady.

If only a few people say they thought it would be a boy, it's a city of the first or second class.

The difficulty in saving a good reputation consists in keeping the thing alive while it's young.

Home has one advantage over a winter resort. When it's cold the natives don't tell how unusual it is.

Perhaps an older man has more wisdom. In this day of golddiggers he needs more.

Our grouchy opinion is that modern children are invited out to parties too often and out to the woodshed too seldom.

Humans are frail, and even a slight pat on the back may cause the chest to protrude alarmingly.

A sophisticated people is one that buys tickets and then says: "Now, darn you, entertain me."

A hick town is a place where there isn't anything exciting to do except watch a widower.

An open countenance is all right if it wouldn't overdo the matter when a sneeze is preparing to emigrate.

Any good town can establish a college. All that is necessary is to find vacant ground and a coach.

Still, saving up for a rainy day doesn't require as much will power as saving up for a dry day.

Altruism, in most men, never develops beyond the point of telling you what to do for a bad cold.

"Educational movies" haven't taught villages anything except that the human hide in itself isn't wicked.

A dentist says it is almost impossible to pull a jaw tooth without pulling some bone. He must have been an umpire.

Civilization doesn't change things much. One generation gets rich by developing natural resources, and the next by leasing them.

Opposition to rum running may mean you are a law abiding citizen or only that you have found some patent medicine that will do the work.

Correct this sentence: "Please light it," said she, as she noticed the outline of a ring in his waistcoat pocket; "I really like the smell of a pipe.

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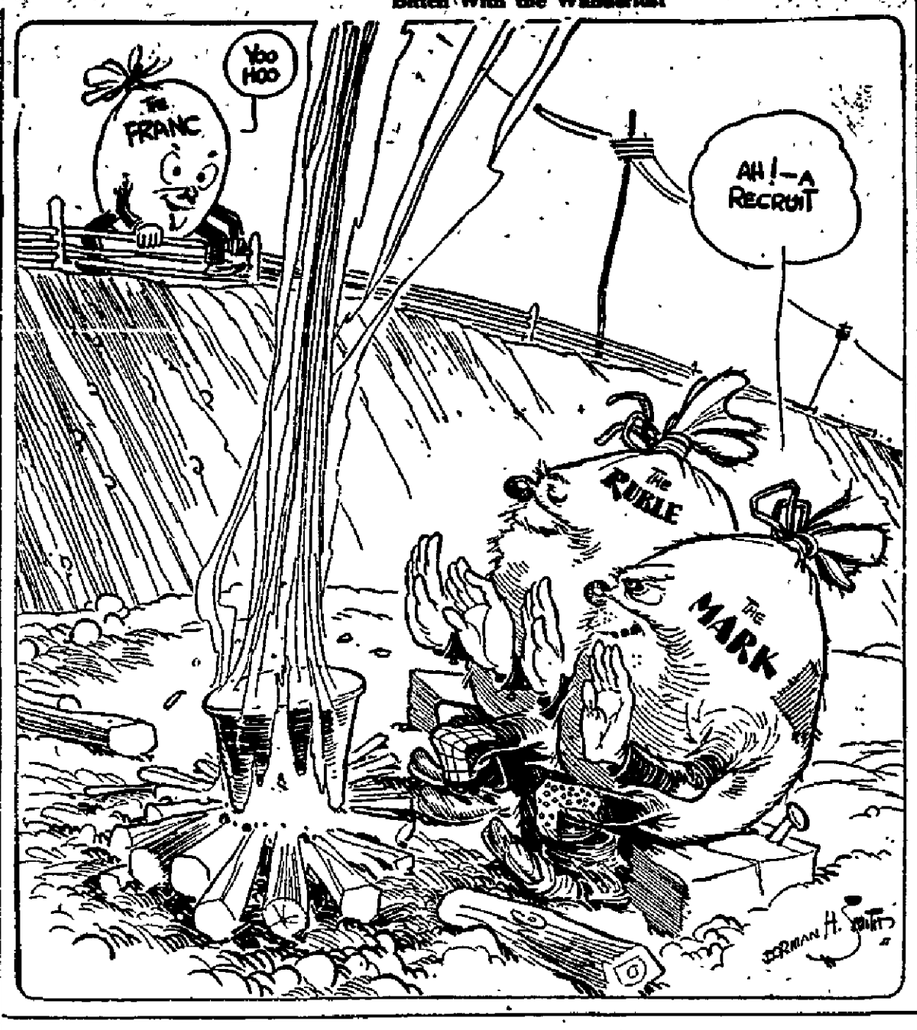
Bitten With the Wanderlust



YOUR HEALTH

By Dr. C. C. Robinson

SLEEPING FOR HEALTH

Many minor cases of illness are clearly the result of lack of sleep. The doctor's bill may be materially reduced and your conservation of working power greatly enhanced by regular and sufficient sleep.

This means that if you neglect to sleep the proper number of hours, seven at least, and nine as a maximum for adults, you are edging towards a breakdown. Sleep when you sleep so that when you wake up you will stay awake.

The health of children is determined by their sleep more markedly than by any other single factor. Often the excessive output of nervous energy by small children from 5 to 8 years of age, either in its dynamic or emotional form, is so weakening that only deep natural sleep will bring back to the tired body the normal mental and physical poise.

Children should get more sleep in winter than in summer. Parents should take careful note of these requirements and watch their children to see that the program is carried out to secure the most healthful results.

Babies can probably use from 15 to 18 hours out of the 24. This sleeping period of babies gradually grows less until the third year. At this time 12 hours should be the maximum.

At 6 years of age the child is usually left to his own normal instincts and uses about 10 hours.

Deep, profound, healthful sleep is best carried out in a darkened room. It has been proved by careful experiments that if a ray of light falls on the closed eyelids during sleep the respiration is at once perceptibly accelerated, without the awakening of the sleeper. With this increase in respiration, the heart begins to beat more rapidly, causing more blood to enter the cerebral regions and consequently restlessness and dreaming.

Where Is France Going?

BY MILTON BRONNER
News NEA Service Writer

PARIS, March 1.—"The producer gets four centimes for his cabbage. The consumer pays 115 centimes for it."

"What does the government do, faced by these facts? It makes speeches.

"No increase in salary for the little government employes, but millions for war."

These are samples of signs carried in big automobiles that traversed various streets of Paris the other morning. It was a way of avoiding the police prohibition of parades by people who wanted to protest against the high cost of living.

It is true the manifestants were Communists. But even people who abhor the Reds and all their ways, applauded this stunt, because all working class France, small shop keepers and minor officials are feeling the pinch of the "vie chere," which is the French equivalent for our familiar "H. C. of L."

Who Won the War?

The average Frenchman can't understand why a country which was successful in war, which raises a great deal of its own food, and has very little unemployment, should see the cost of living go up five years after the war is over.

According to statistics recently published, the trend in almost everything that the average man or woman needs is upward. Taking 100 as the index figure of costs before the war, today the cost of foodstuffs in general is 422, and the cost of manufactured articles is 509.

And in France the same phenomenon is manifesting itself that I observed in my various trips in Germany—the depreciation in the value of the French franc is not being followed in the same proportions by a rise in prices in the restaurants and markets.

In France, as in Germany, the prices of things rise as the money of the country drops in value. But the rise is a slower one.

And once more the same feeling that I observed in Germany is becoming manifest in France. When the German mark first began to tumble, the Germans resented the presence of the foreigner with money of high value. He looked upon the stranger as a leech coming to live cheaply at the expense of a suffering country.

Foreigners' Tax!

A double standard of prices was soon in vogue in many shops, theaters, hotels and restaurants. There was one price for the German and another and very much higher price for the foreigner.

The other day a prominent French journalist said the German example was excellent. He said a hotel which charged a Frenchman 50 francs ought to charge a foreigner, whose money was up, several times that amount. He advocated the French boycotting shops which catered to the foreigner.

And a French deputy has introduced a bill providing for a 20 per cent tax upon the hotel bills of foreigners coming to Paris.

The Referee

NOW

Men are much larger and stronger now than 400 years ago. A check-up of the armor worn by knights of the 16th century shows that fighting men in those days averaged only 130 pounds in weight, had a waist 30 inches around, and wore a size 6 shoe.

All this is a part of the system of gradual evolution. It makes one wonder, what people 400 years from now will look like. Physically we apparently are becoming larger. But the sedentary life of modern times may turn the tide the other way. Inactivity inevitably causes weakness and deterioration. Even the brain has to be exercised constantly to keep it in trim.

UNGRATEFUL

Sweden builds museum - houses, showing exactly how people lived and worked centuries ago. Children, as part of their school training, are taken to these museums to educate them in progress.

The same idea would be a corking good thing for our country, and adults should be compelled to join the sightseers, to make our generation appreciate the easy time it has, compared with the early pioneers. No one fully appreciates modern conveniences, luxuries and short hours of work.

POWER

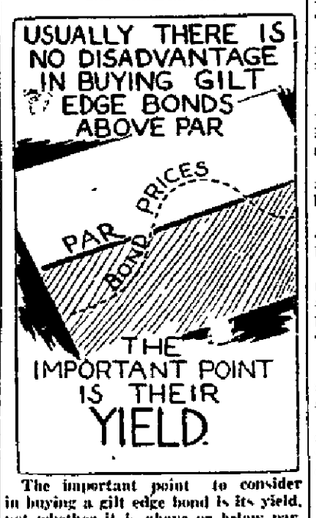
The new electricity generator at Niagara Falls—70,000 horsepower—does work that otherwise would require 10,000 tons of coal a year.

Multiply this by 10 and you have the coal saved by all power plants at Niagara.

The force of falling water, nicknamed "white coal," is destined to play a tremendously important role in America's future. There's a strong tendency to allow private interests to get possession of water power. This tendency is dangerous and foolish.

Your Money AT WORK

Brief but Important Lessons in Finance, Markets, Stocks, Bonds and Investments



The important point to consider in buying a gilt edge bond is its yield, not whether it is above or below par.

In most cases there really is no difference between buying at 4 per cent gilt edge bond selling under par, and a 6 per cent bond selling at a premium, if the yield is 5 per cent on both.

Of course a little more money would have to be invested to buy the 6 per cent bond, but the return would be 5 per cent on the money invested.

It is a strange thing that the majority of investors will not pay over par for a bond. They figure that at maturity there will be a loss. There is, but in the meantime each year's coupon has been larger.

In the above case, the bond which sells above par pays $2 more than the other in interest each year.

Telling It To CONGRESS

WHY NATIONS FALL

The Gauls and Goths never overcame the Roman empire because of the external strength that the Gauls and Goths possessed. It was only when the Roman patricians themselves, through their debaucheries, through their hammering down of the common people, taxing the rich man little and the poor man much, made life for the common people so distressful that the common man was glad the Gauls and Goths came to rescue him from the tyrannic of the Roman tyrants. Our condition could not be worse than it is under the Roman tyranny.—Senator Ashurst, democrat, Arizona.

THEIR LUCK

Moreover, the republicans had had bad luck. They had their "Fall" in midwinter. —Representative Berger, socialist, Wisconsin.

SMALL TOWN MEN

Patrick Henry probably never saw a town as big as Canton, O. George Washington might have been referred to by a certain class of critics as nothing but a farmer; they might, indeed, have called him a granger. Robert E. Lee, who is recognized as the military genius of his day, was not the inhabitant of a large town. —Senator Reed, democrat, Missouri.

SISTER'S CATTY CHUM

"I hate men. Why, do you know, I've said 'No' to as many as six in a week?"

"Canvassers are bothersome, aren't they? I live in the suburbs, too"—American Legion Weekly.

BEGIN HERE TODAY

Colonel Holles, soldier, and adventurer, returns to England, the land of his birth, when war is declared with Holland. He comes to lodge with Martha Quinn, wealthy hostess of the Pair-o' Head, in Paul's Yard, London.

His Grace of Albemarle, friend of the colonel's, promises Holles a commission but is forced to give the appointment to a friend of His Grace of Buckingham instead.

Martha Quinn proposes marriage to the colonel but Holles refuses her offer. The colonel is in despair when Albemarle tells him that he has no commission for him.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

"To be sentence up again by some debt-ridden pimp who wants to escape his creditors," said Holles, his tone betraying at last some of the bitterness fermenting in his soul.

Albemarle stood sorrowfully regarding him. "This hits you hard, Randal, I know."

The Colonel recovered and forced a laugh.

"Pooh! Hard hits have mostly been my portion."

"I know." Albemarle paced to the window and back, his head sunk between his shoulders. Then he came to a halt before the Colonel. "Keep me informed of where you are lodged, and look to hear from me again as soon as may be. Be sure that I will do my best."

The Colonel's glance kindled again. It was a flicker of the expiring flame of hope.

"You really think that something else will offer?"

His grace paused before answering, and, in the pause, the sorrowful gravity of his face increased.

"To be frank with you, Randal, I hardly dare to think it. Chances for such as you are, as you understand, not . . . frequent. But the unexpected may happen sooner than we dare to hope. If it does, be sure I'll not forget you. Be sure of that."

Holles thanked him steadily, and rose to depart, his radiance quenched, despondency in every line of him.

Albemarle watched from under furrowed brows. As he reached the door the Duke detained him.

"Randal! A moment."

The Colonel turned and waited whilst slowly Albemarle approached him. His grace was deep in thought, and he hesitated before speaking.

"You . . . you are not urgently in need of money, I trust?" he said at last.

The Colonel's gesture and laugh conveyed a shamefaced admission that he was.

Albemarle's eyes considered him a moment still. Then, slowly, he drew a purse from his pocket. It was apparently a light purse. He unfastened it.

"If a loan will help you until . . ."

"No, no!" cried Holles, his pride aroused against accepting what amounted almost to alms.

Even so the repudiation was no more than half-hearted. But there was no attempt from Albemarle to combat it. He did not press the offer.

CHAPTER XI

A Woman Scorned

Colonel Holles retraced his steps to the City on foot. A hackney-coach, such as that in which he had driven almost in triumph to the Cockpit, was no longer for him; nor yet could he submit to the expense of going by water now that the unexpected was all that stood between him and destitution.

And yet the unexpected was not quite all. An alternative existed, though a very desperate one. There was the rebellion in which Tucker had sought fruitlessly hitherto to engage him. The thought of it began to stir in his dejected mind, as leaden footed he dragged himself toward Temple Bar through the almost stifling heat which was making itself felt in London at the end of that month of May. Temptation urged him now, nourished not only by the circumstance that in rebellion lay his last hope of escaping starvation, but also by hot resentment against an inclement and unjust government that drove able soldiers such as himself into the kennels, whilst befriending the worthless minions who pandered to the profligacy of a worthless prince. Vice, he told himself, was the only passport to service in this England of the restored Stuarts. Tucker and Rathbone were right. At least what they did was justified and hallowed by the country's need of salvation from the moral leprosy that was fastening itself upon it, a disease more devastating and deadly than this plague upon which the republicans counted to arouse the nation to a sense of its position.

He counted the cost of failure; but he counted it derisively. His life would be claimed. That was the stake he set upon the board. But, considering that it was the only stake remaining him, why hesitate? What, after all, was this life of his worth that he should be tender of setting it upon a last throw with Fortune? Fortune favors boldness. Perhaps in the past he had not been bold enough.

Deep in his musings he had reached St. Clement Danes, when he was abruptly aroused by a voice, harsh and warningly commanding.

"Keep your distance, sir!"

Checking, he looked round to the right, whence the order came.

He beheld a man with a pike, who stood before a padlocked door that was smeared with a red cross a foot in length, above which also in red was heavily daubed the legend: LORD HAVE MERCY UPON US.

Taken thus by surprise, the Colonel shuddered as at the contact of something unclean and horrible. Hastily he stepped out into the middle of the unpaved street, and, pausing there a moment, glanced up at the closed shutters of the infected house. It was the first that he had seen; for although he had come this way a week ago, when the plague was already active in the neighborhood, yet it was then confined to Butcher's Row on the north side of the church and to the mean streets that issued thence. To find it thus upon the main road between the City and Whitehall was to be rendered unpleasantly conscious of its spread. And, as he now pursued his way with instinctively quickened steps, he found his thoughts thrust more closely than ever upon the uses which the revolutionaries could make of this dread pestilence. Much brooding in his disturbed state of mind distorted his mental vision, so that he came presently to adopt the view that this plague was a visitation from Heaven upon a city abandoned to ungodliness. Heaven, it followed, must be on the side of those who labored to effect a purifying change.

The end of it was that, as he toiled up Ludgate Hill toward Paul's, his resolve was taken. That evening he would seek Tucker and throw in his lot with the republicans.

Coming into Paul's Yard, he found a considerable crowd assembled before the western door of the Cathedral. It was composed of people of all degrees: merchants, shopkeepers, prentices, horseboys, scavengers, rogues from the alleys that lay behind the Old 'Change, idlers and sharpers from Paul's Walk, with a sprinkling of women, of town-gallants, and of soldiers. And thereupon the steps of the portico, stood the magnet that had drawn them in the shape of that black crow of a Jack Presbyter preaching the City's doom. And his text—recurring like the refrain of a song—was ever the same:

"Ye have defiled your sanctuaries by the multitude of your iniquities, by the iniquity of your traffic."

And yet, from between the Corinthian pillars which served him for his background, had been swept away the milliners' shops that had stood there during the Commonwealth.

Whether some thought of this in the minds of his audience rendered his words humorously inapt, or whether it was merely that a spirit of irresponsible ribaldry was infused into the crowd by a crowd of young apprentices, loud derision greeted the preacher's utterance. Unshaken by the laughter and mocking cries, the prophet of doom presented a fearless and angry front.

"Repent, ye scoffers!" His voice shrilled to dominate their mirthful turbulence. "Bethink you of where ye stand! Yet forty days and London shall be destroyed! The pestilence lays siege unto this city of the ungodly! Like a raging lion doth it stalk upon you. Yet forty days, and . . ."

An egg flung by the hand of a butcher's boy smashed full in his face to crop his period short. He staggered and gasped as the glutinous mass of yolk and white crept sluggishly down his beard and dripped thence to spread upon the rusty black to his coat.

"Deriders! Scoffers!" he screamed, and with arms that thrashed the air in imprecation, he looked like a wind-tossed scarecrow. "Your doom is at hand. Your . . ."

A roar of laughter provoked by the spectacle he presented drowned his frenzied voice, and a shower of offensive missiles pelted him from every quarter. The last of these was a living cat, which clawed itself against his breast spitting furiously in its terror.

Overwhelmed, the prophet turned, and fled between the pillars into the shelter of Paul's itself, pursued by laughter and insult. But scarcely had he disappeared than with uncanny suddenness the laughter sank from a roar to a splutter. To this succeeded a moment of deadly silence. Then the crowd broke, and parted, its members departing at speed in every direction with cries in which horror had taken now the place that was so lately held by mirth.

Colonel Holles, finding himself suddenly alone, and as yet very far from understanding what had taken place to scatter those men and women in such panic, advanced a step or two into the suddenly emptied space before the cathedral steps. There on the roughly cobbled ground he beheld a writhing man, a well-made, vigorous fellow in the very prime of life, whose dress was that of a tradesman of some prosperity. His round hat lay beside him where he had fallen, and he rolled his head from side to side spasmodically, moaning faintly the while. Of his eyes nothing was visible but the whites, showing under the line of his half-closed lids.

(Continued in Our Next Issue)

FIRESIDE FUN

The other day a kind friend sent this department a jar of kumquat marmalade. We took the label which came off the jar and fastened it onto the covered glass in which we keep our paste.

Next morning we noticed that someone had eaten half the paste.

We make this public explanation in order that the person who ate the paste may not gain the impression that the woman who made the marmalade is a poor cook.—Youngstown Telegram.

DAD IN A FIX

"Gosh darn it! I can't remember whether I told Stella I'd meet her at Fourth and Fifth at six, Fifth and Sixth at four, or Sixth and Fourth at five."—Judge.

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THE TANGLE

LETTER FROM SALLY ATHERTON TO BEATRICE GRIMSHAW

DEAR BEE:

I saw your precious Dick yesterday and I must say he is a good-looking chap, but for all that he is nothing I would choose. He's got too much of a roving eye. I presume I'm a very egotistical young woman—thank God I'm still young, Bee—but I have always wanted my man to keep from showing any great admiration for any other woman.

I will say that for Sam. He never seemed to look at another woman but me.

But to get back to my story. You, of course, know by this time that Mr. Richard Summers is accompanying Miss Perier on her personal appearance tour. He seems to be a peach of a publicity man. I was speaking about this side of him to my boss, John Prescott, and he said: "He's too darn good in the publicity line."

Mr. Prescott was very indignant Mr. Summers because he persuaded Leslie to become one of the princesses at Miss Perier's matinee. It seems there has been more or less talk about Mr. Prescott and the Perier girl, but if I can read the cards right, Leslie knows nothing about this. You know, in a case of this kind the wife is the last person to know about it.

Of course when Mr. Prescott found out Leslie was going to do this, I imagine, although he said nothing about it, they had a row royal and she came out on top, because the day I was at the matinee she and a number of the other popular young women in town were supporting Miss Perier while she was doing the society act.

It made me laugh, Bee, for these women would not have looked at Paula Perier a year ago. She probably was then a much better woman than she is now. They fell all over themselves to be nice to her.

Remember, I am leaving Leslie out of this. I think she is one of the sweetest girls I have ever known.

Under ordinary circumstances I would be envying her that good-looking husband of hers, but Leslie deserves everything in the world that is good, even that doubtful possession—a good-looking husband.

I didn't get to talk to your Dick Summers. As I heard Leslie talking to him about you I thought an interview with two of your friends in one day would almost be more than he could stand. I did, however, have a few words to say to Paula Perier.

While I was speaking to her Leslie was talking very earnestly to Mr. Summers and I saw the French girl's eyes turn that way very often.

At last I said rather maliciously:

"Don't you think Mrs. Prescott is beautiful? I have known her very well for many years and she is as good as she is beautiful."

That French girl looked me quietly in the eye and said:

"Is it not true we of today declare goodness most interesting?"

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TOMORROW: Sally continues her letter—Queer, but likeable, John Prescott!

AUTO EDUCATION

ASHTABULA, Ohio, March 1.—In a note to an Ashtabula editor a woman who signed herself as "Mrs. C. W.," tells about a "bright" niece: "My five-year-old niece, while walking down town during a snow storm the other day, looked up at her mother and said: 'Mama, I wish I had a windshield wiper.'"

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This surprising statement was made by Mrs. Mabel Youngblood of Lyons Avenue, Houston, Texas, to one of the Merritone men at Public Drug Store No. 3, in Houston just a few days ago.

Continuing she said, "Yes I was uneasy about myself for often I had dizzy spells with black spots before my eyes. My stomach was in an awful condition and I had gotten so that I could hardly eat anything without severe pains afterward. It seemed that food formed into a gas in my stomach that brought on awesome gas attacks. I was miserable half the time and so nervous that the least thing almost set me wild.

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SAYS GERMANY READY FOR WAR

Blowing of Whistle Would Revive Skeleton

PARIS, March 1.—"Blow a whistle and the skeleton of Germany would immediately recover skin, muscles, blood and nerves, the same as in 1914," General Bourgeois, a member of the Nollet commission investigating military conditions in the Reich declared today in an interview with the United Press.

"To abandon allied control of Germany would be a deadly imprudence," the French commander continued. "Fortunately the allies have understood this. We have undeniable proofs that Germany is secretly organizing for revenge.

"She is instructing officers. She has reichswehr troops more numerous than the Versailles treaty permits. She is furnishing them with the most modern and complete armaments, rifles, machine guns, cannon and plenty of ammunition.

"The Reichswehr is the frame of 21 German army corps. A whistle would call all ex-soldiers to join existing companies, which are deliberately wearing the numbers of regiments of the old imperial army."

Newspaper Tells of Mrs. Hogaboom's Death

The death of Mrs. R. A. Hogaboom in Wichita, Kans., came as a surprise and distinct shock to a number of Port Arthur friends, who will be interested in an account of her death, taken from the Wichita paper. Mrs. Hogaboom is survived by a brother-in-law and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Hogaboom of 1811 Sixth street. She was widely known in Port Arthur, having been a pioneer resident of the city and having left here only a few months after Mr. Hogaboom's death in 1918. She was a past president and an honorary member of the Women's Self Improvement Club. The clipping follows:

"Mrs. Rosina Hogaboom, age 77, died at the home of her son, W. R. Hogaboom, 410 South Chautauqua, Wednesday. She was born in Great Barrington, Mass., and was married to Major Robert A. Hogaboom in 1866. They both lived to celebrate their golden wedding anniversary in 1916. Mr. Hogaboom died in 1918.

"Mrs. Hogaboom was a member of the College Hill M. E. Church, of the Ladies' Grand Army, Caroline Harrison Circle and the W. R. C. No. 40. Members of the G. A. R. will be honorary pall bearers. Members of the Sons of the Veterans will be active pall bearers. Funeral services will be held at 10 o'clock Friday in the parlors of the Mueller funeral home with the Rev. John B. Magee officiating. All members of the Garfield Women's Relief Corps are requested to attend the funeral. The Caroline Harrison Circle will have their service at the grave. Burial will be made in Maple Grove cemetery."

48 Years Old; Has But 12 Birthdays

An even dozen birthdays, yet he is 48 years old.

This is the predicament of O. J. Palmer, 1020 Twelfth street, former immigration inspector of this district who yesterday celebrated.

When called this afternoon Mr. Palmer was working away at his car, which isn't so bad for a youngster celebrating his dozenth birthday.

"If we had a leap year in 1900," said Mr. Palmer, "I've had twelve, if not, I've had only eleven."

Income Tax Office Opens Here Today

Offices for the collection of income taxes were opened in the federal building by Deputy Internal Revenue Collector Fred W. Stepleton and will be maintained until and including March 15.

Income returns on forms 1040 and 1040a, for individuals must have been filed at this time and no extensions of time will be granted on this form in income returns.

Corporation and partnership returns have until June 15 to file their returns, but a tentative return must be made before March 15, Stepleton stated today.

Port Arthur Lions After New Members

Port Arthur Lions are going in for a membership contest.

At least, this is the indication forecasted Friday at Plaza hotel when President Stuckey read the members of the organization a communication from Chicago calling attention to the international membership contest which will open March 31 and conclude May 24.

Although no action was taken on the letter today, it is understood that "Port Arthur Lions will be on the map when the race starts."

CELEBRITIES TEE OFF IN MARDI GRAS GOLF

NEW ORLEANS, March 1.—Twelve foursomes started play at the country club here this morning in the Mardi Gras golf tournament. The mornings card included such celebrities as Joe Kirkwood, "Wild Bill Mehlhorn, Frank Godchaux and Tom Boyd. The foursomes teed off at ten minute intervals, seven foursomes teeing at first and five starting at number ten.

HAYNES WARNS OF INDIFFERENCE

Says Buyer of Liquor Guilty As Seller

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 1.—"Indifference to the prohibition law will not mean only the failure of that law but ultimate government chaos," Roy A. Haynes, federal prohibition commissioner, who is in Kansas City, says.

Haynes has been in Kansas City several days looking into the work of his department. He told Kansas Citians that if one group of citizens disregard prohibition laws, other groups will see fit to disregard other laws.

"The person who buys illicit liquor is as guilty as the bootlegger," the commissioner stated. "The responsibility of law enforcement rests on the entire community. It should not be left to the federal government, which has only a skeleton of the organization it needs to enforce the law."

Carnival Ordinance To Be Enforced

Following the appearance of Gene Gifford and J. R. Dempsey before the city commission this morning, that body went on record through passage of a motion to rigidly "line the mark in the future in enforcing city ordinances regulating the location of carnivals."

When it was learned the ordinance existed, Mayor Pink Logan made the motion that in view of the fact the city has been lax in the past in not enforcing this ordinance, that in the future the mark should be hued to more rigidly, and his action received a second in Commissioner of Finance Ben Wiley.

The ordinance will exclude any carnival from showing on Lake Shore property in the future.

Local Lions Urged To Back Training

Port Arthur Lions, in a communication from J. A. Gilruth of Washington, D. C., were urged Friday to help support the government in the Citizens Military Training camps which will be conducted throughout the country this summer.

The communication was read the Lions club by President Stuckey, pointing out that preparedness is an essential thing, and that the Lions should do all within their power to create interest in the training camps. Attention was called in the letter to the fact that prospective candidates for the camps must attend camps located nearest Port Arthur.

Lions 'Pass Hat' For Needy Family

Informed Friday noon that the Red Cross is attempting to raise funds for a destitute family in Port Arthur, members of the Lions club "passed the hat" and secured a contribution to be turned over to the organization to aid the family.

No announcement was made of the sum subscribed.

PORT NECHES TO GET NEW POSTOFFICE

Special to The News.

BEAUMONT, Texas, March 1.—According to late information from the post office department, bids will be advertised for a new post office at Port Neches within the next few weeks. There has been a great deal of misunderstanding about the exact location of the post office there, and a permanent building will eliminate all this.

LEONARD TO SEEK ASSESSOR'S OFFICE

BEAUMONT, Texas, March 1.—A. L. Leonard, chief deputy in the office of Ogden Johnson, present tax assessor will make the race for that office in the coming election, according to an announcement made Friday morning. B. E. Quinn, former representative, has also announced for the office.

PREACHERS IN FIGHT TO BROADCAST VIEWS

NEW YORK, March 1.—The fundamentalist-modernist war has been carried into the air and both factions are struggling for possession of the radio rights to broadcast their views.

Rev. Chas. Francis Potter, who proposed a modernist Bible class with the sermon and lessons to be broadcast at 8 p. m. every Sunday, said today that his rivals among the fundamentalists have attempted to tie up the radio services against him.

THE BIG CHEESE

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., March 1.—Detectives hunting a grocery store robber found a cheese bearing his finger prints. Some one laid the cheese on a radiator at headquarters and it melted.

BERLIN HAS BANANAS

BERLIN, March 1.—For the first time in years Berlin cannot truthfully sing, "Yes, we have no bananas." For nearly 10 years all the bananas found here were smuggled in at fabulous prices. Now they are openly imported. Also oranges are moving freely and nearly every child has had a taste of what for 10 years has been a luxury. Now oranges are a glut on street barrows.

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ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

NO. 10—AT THE KING'S PALACE

There stood a fat old bald-headed giant.

When the seven league boots walked into the Market Town in Beanstalk Land, with nobody to be seen inside them, there was such a rushing and scrambling as never had happened before.

Fruit sellers, peddlers, butchers, and green grocers took one look and fled, upsetting stalls and knocking over stands and yelling at each other as though they had lost their senses.

And indeed they had, nearly, for not one of them knew that the Twins were inside the boots. They thought the boots were bewitched.

Nancy stuck her head out of the crack in her boot. "Nick!" she called. "We've got the whole place to ourselves. Market Town's empty. All the giants have gone and shut themselves up in their houses. What had we better do now?"

"Keep on going," advised Nick. "We'll go to the King's Palace up on the hill."

"But he is a cranky, mean old king!" said Nancy. "And so is the queen. They are the only giants in Beanstalk Land who aren't kind and jolly. I'm sorry we scared all the market people so."

"I have an idea!" cried Nick suddenly. "Let's go and make the king and queen behave themselves."

"All right," nodded Nancy merrily. "Come along! That's a very good idea."

So away went the Twins again, boots and all, right through the Market Town and past the mill (as big as four churches and three court-houses put together) and over a bridge (as big as a rainbow) and through a valley and past a forest where even the bears and deer fled as the queer boots approached with nobody to be seen inside.

By and by, they came to the hill where the palace was.

And they climbed it and came to the gate.

"Now what?" called Nancy to Nick. "Shall we just wish ourselves over, boots and all?"

"No! Jump as hard as you can and make your old boot kick the gate. I'll jump, too! If we kick loud enough somebody will come and open it," said wise Nick.

So they kicked. Bang, bang, bang! bengity bang! went the seven league boots.

"Hold on there! Not so fast!" came an enormous voice on the other side of the gate. "Who are you that dare to kick on the gate of His Grand Majesty the King of Beanstalk Land?"

At that a big key was turned and the gate swung open.

There stood a fat, old, bald-headed giant in knee breeches and a velvet coat, with a bunch of keys in his hand.

But all he saw was a pair of boots standing there alone, which proceeded to walk past him without so much as by-your-leave, right into the court-yard of the palace and up the palace steps.

The big fat gatekeeper giant did what everybody else had done. He gave one yell and ran, as fast as his fat legs would carry him, down the road and away to dear knows where.

"Hee, hee, hee!" giggled the Twins. "A brave gatekeeper the king has!"

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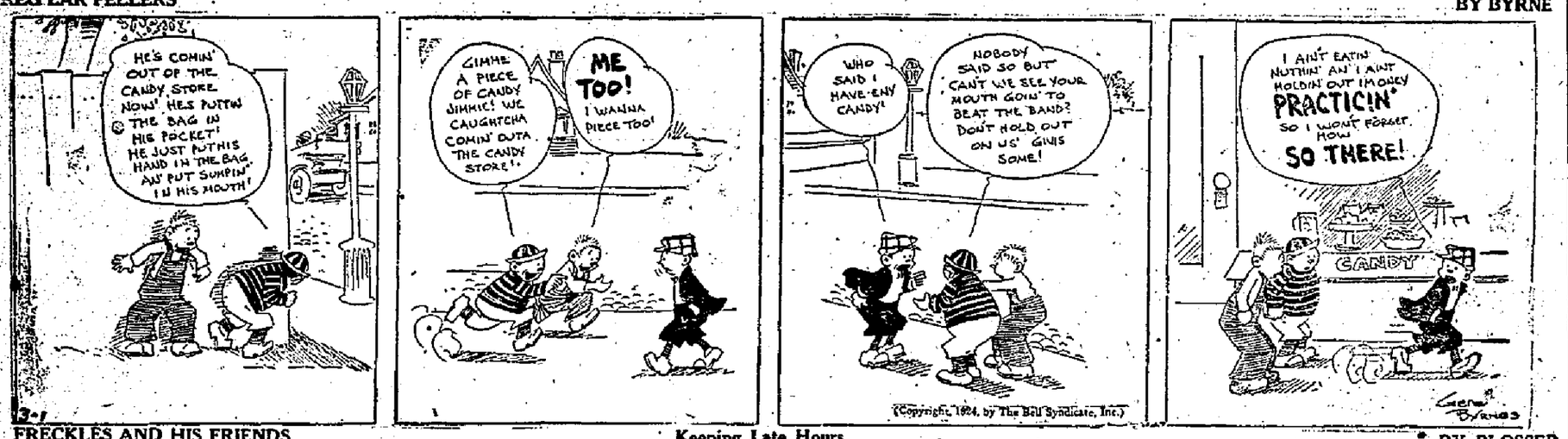

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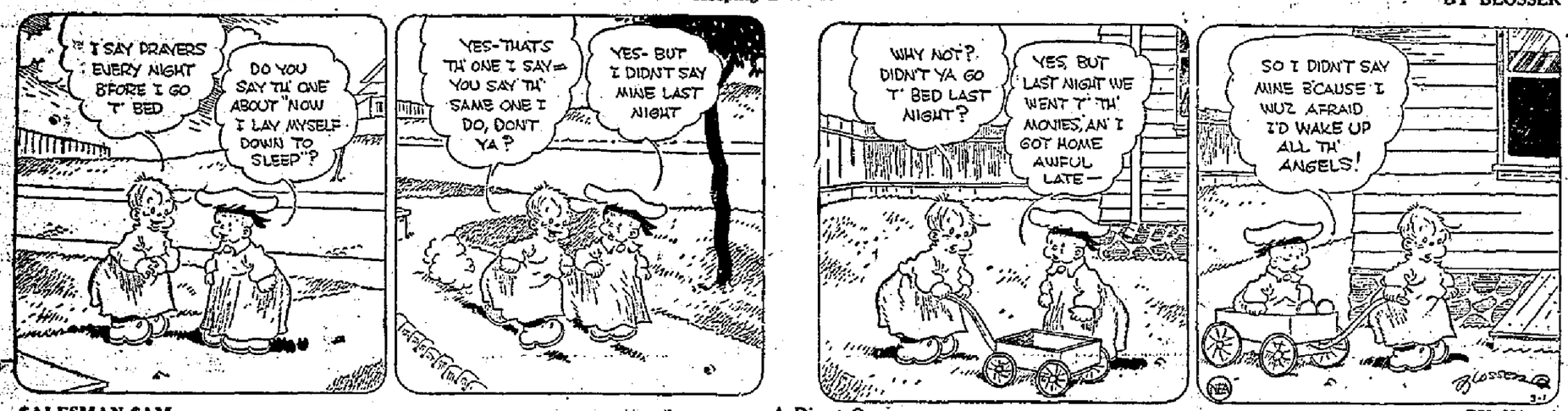

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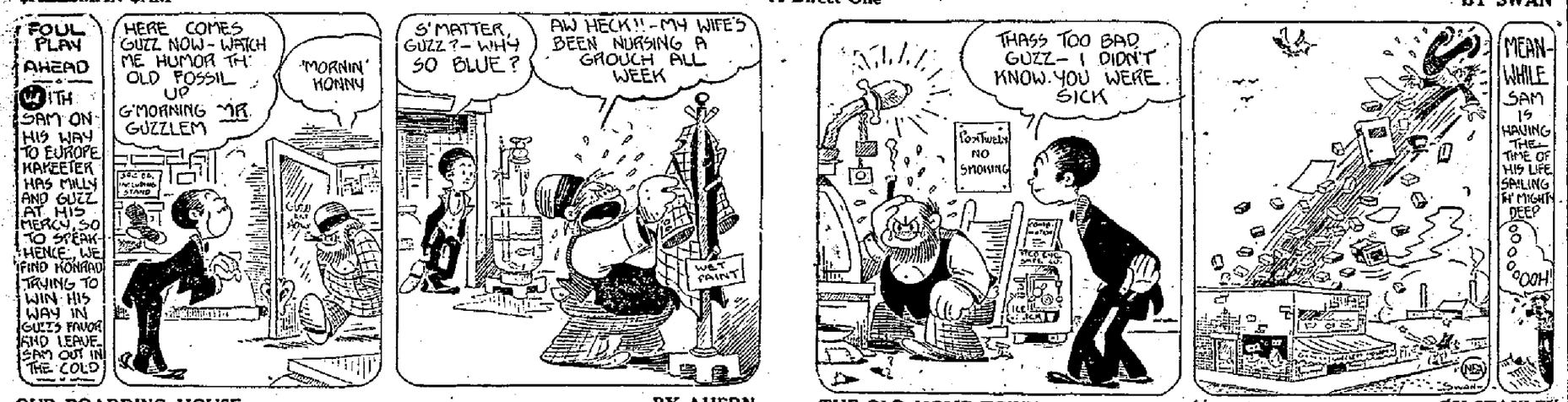

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CHAPTER 120

The Song of the Sirens

Circe was in earnest. She turned the sailors back to their human shapes, and for days everyone in the palace feasted. Odysseus greatly enjoyed living with Circe, but by and by he was reminded that his dear wife must be waiting anxiously for him to return. He then told Circe he would have to leave. She was sorry to hear of the decision, but gave advice to help toward a safe voyage.

"Beware of the Sirens," she said. "You will hear them singing on a nearby island coast. Their song is so charming that it drives men to mad actions. They leap from their ships into the sea. They hope to reach the Sirens but always die before that happens. Put wax in the ears of your men. Let them bind you to the mast of your ship until the Sirens' island has been passed."

The counsel of Circe was followed. When Odysseus heard the Sirens he forgot about wisdom and tried vainly to loosen the ropes which bound him. He ordered his men to untie him, but the wax in their ears kept them from hearing what he said. He motioned to them, but they would not heed, for he had ordered them not to pay any attention to what he might say while near the Sirens.

As the ship passed on, the song of the Sirens died in the distance. Odysseus and his men were saved.

Odysseus can be seen struggling to get free and come to the Sirens answer to their song. The mast to which he was tied is not shown the picture.

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A Successful Sale

The crowd at the bazaar in the sewing room was so large that Betty Cut-out could hardly push through to give her box of nickels and dimes to Florence who sat at a small table acting as cashier.

"How much this time?" asked Florence, taking the box.

"I couldn't even count," whispered Betty. "I've been so busy selling I haven't had time to take a breath. Now my candy is all gone, so I'm going to help Natalie sell orange marmalade."

Just then Alice Cut-out came in. "Betty, I sold the decorations on my booth!" she giggled. "An old man said if we didn't have any more ready, he'd buy the tulips! Here's some dollars more!"

"Good for you!" cried the bazaar manager. "Maybe you can even sell Natalie's soap boxes after the cakes and pies are gone!"

When the last patron departed the girls counted their money. Two hundred and forty dollars and nine cents was the total.

Florence's best dress is apple green with cream lace. Her hose and slippers are tan.

GOLFER IS KILLED

PARIS, March 1.—A sliced drive caused the death of Robert Jouy, cadet in the French mercantile marine, at Biarritz. His golf ball lodged on the side of a steep hill, and he climbed there to recover it. As he was descending he slipped and fell into a deep cavern and died of his injuries.

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Two Injured As Car Jumps Galveston Bridge

HOUSTON, March 1.—Amos Fisher was critically injured and N. R. Daughdrill suffered several broken ribs and other injuries when their car jumped a bridge on the Galveston road last night and fell 30 feet into Plum Creek.

Daughdrill who was driving, said he was blinded by the glaring headlights of an approaching car and could not see the bridge.

HOUSTON GIRLS TIMID

HOUSTON, March 1.—Despite an offer of Justice Overstreet to provide the license and marry them free, no Houston girl proposed to a Houston swain during February and the offer went begging.

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TWO furnished modern housekeeping rooms also garage, couple only, 1611 5th

TWO unfurnished modern rooms suitable for couple or bachelor quarters, 1901 7th street.

THREE rooms, close in, 526 Austin. Phone 531.

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KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS

Notice is hereby given that the Collector of Taxes of the City of Port Arthur, Texas, under and by virtue of the authority vested in him by the Charter and Ordinances of the City of Port Arthur, Texas, will on the 14th day of March, A. D 1924, between the hours of 10.00 o'clock A. M. and 4 00 o'clock P. M. at the front door of the City Hall in the City of Port Arthur, Jefferson County, Texas, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the hereinafter described real estate, situated in the city of Port Arthur, Jefferson County, Texas, to satisfy, pay off and discharge delinquent taxes due on said real estate The description of said real estate and the amount due thereon for delinquent taxes is as follows.

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Read, approved, signed and attested by the City Clerk, this the 22nd day of February, A. D. 1924.
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BUSINESS PROPERTY

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CITY PROPERTY

FOR SALE—Five-room modern home, 631 14th, cash $300 or will consider car. Phone 1246-W.

BY owner, new 6-room house, Nederland, C. Doornbos, Nederland.

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CITY PROPERTY

PRETTY new 5-room, breakfast room, sleeping porch, 2145 11th street. Will be open Sunday. A bargain on easy payments and another one of the same type at 2938 7th street. Will consider some good vacant lots in trade.
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Phone 83-2139-J 614 Procter St.

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On 11th street there is a neat 5-room house that can be bought for $3500 with only $500 cash. It faces the lake.

Have client on 12th street with 5-room modern home and adjoining lot who will exchange for something suitable for trucking. Ask about it.

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A BARGAIN—Large 5-room modern home, corner lot, facing lake, from owner, $3450 net, 1901 14th

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BARGAIN by owner, 6-room house, New Model Apply 3549 10th.

MODEL ADDITION lot, cash $350, balance payable monthly, $36 00, by owner Alfred du Perier, room 10, 415½ Procter street. Phone 1958

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MODEL ADDITION

MODEL ADDITION LOTS

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Five room new house, all fenced, with garage on Main street Pear Ridge for $2500, $500 cash.

Five room modern, 2600 block 6th for $5755, $800 cash.

Two room house in 3000 block 6th for $2700, $1000 cash, balance at $25 and interest.

AVANT REALTY CO.
Phone 1303

SOMETHING in a 6-room house, will pay itself out in rent. Price $2950, cash $250, 15th street
Dandy home, new, on DeQueen. For a nice home you should see this place. Price $4000, cash $700.
West 16th street, 5-room, price $1850, cash $400.
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Where can you get a lot elsewhere on 5th for $1400 and $900 cash? We have it, new Model near Beaumont road.
Lake front lot on 6th one-half block from old Model in new Model for $1500, terms.
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Five room all modern house in 1000 block 10th street for $3400, terms.
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GENERAL

DOUBLE garage, two [illegible] lot in the Model Addition [illegible] block from paved street [illegible] street. This property [illegible] be sold at a real bargain and easy payments.
Here's a 5-room house and corner [illegible] near the Texas refinery for only 25000, $500 cash and the balance [illegible] per month.
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Here's a modern 4-room duplex on 11th street near the DeQueen school, rents for $60 per month. You can have the property for $4000, $800 cash and the balance $42 per month.
D. KINARD.
Real Estate Office 401 Procter Street.
Phone 310.

LOT, 1300 block Thomas boulevard. Three room house, front, back screened-in porch, $300 cash, balance payable monthly $35.00, by owner. Alfred du Perier, room 10, 415½ Procter street. Phone 1958.

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Port Arthur High Takes Second Game From South Park Club

Mohike Iglesias Is Games' Star as Tilt Ends in 28-8 Score

Burnett Rings Only Field Goal Collegians Annex Against Leo Smith's Speedy Yellow Jacket Goalers in Franklin Gymnasium

MOHIKE IGLESIAS kept his defense in good order the entire course of Port Arthur High's second game with the South Park college quintet, and the locals made it two straight from Pat Quinn's players when they defeated them last night at Franklin gym 28 to 8. The South Parkers failed to put up the fight they did in the first clash with the Port Arthur High team and although they put up an obstinate and hard-fought game, did not make themselves as dangerous as they were last week when the final score was 16 and 13.

From the start to the finish Iglesias worked desperately and successfully to prevent the Collegians from starting a rally that might have changed the game. He was not so accurate in his shooting as he usually is, but his effective work in stopping many attempts of the South Parkers showed his value to the team. Crow and Prejean, who both got a try at the center position, did excellent work, especially in a scoring capacity. Crow scored six field goals and two foul goals, and Prejean scored three field goals and two foul goals. The team missed Nick Hyde, who is sick in bed, in their last game of the season.

Burnett, of the South Park team, rang the only field goal credited to his team. The rest of South Park's scores being six foul goals. Andrews and Dishman were substituted in the last half but could not stop Port Arthur's scoring spree.

Coach Lee O. Smith said last night that this would probably be the last game his team would play this season. His victory over Pat Quinn's South Park Collegians is indeed a fitting climax to a very successful season.

Port Arthur High (28)

	Field	Foul	Total
Iglesias, F	0	0	0
Carruthers, F	1	0	2
Crow, CG	6	2	14
Schlicker, G	1	0	2
Livingston, G	0	0	0
Prejean, C	3	2	8
C. Walker, F	1	0	2
Turner, G	0	0	0
A. Walker, F	0	0	0

Substitutions—Prejean for Livingston, C. Walker for Carruthers, Turner for Schlicker, A. Walker for C. Walker.

South Park College (8)

	Field	Foul	Total
Hawthorne, F	0	0	0
Burnett, F	1	3	5
Jones, C	0	2	2
Morris, G	0	1	1
Cook, G	0	0	0
Andrews, G	0	0	0
Dishman, G	0	0	0

Substitutions—Andrews for Morris, Dishman for Andrews, Morris for Jones.

Time of periods—10-minute quarters.

Score by Quarters—

Port Arthur	7	6	6	9—28
South Park	4	0	2	2—8

Timekeeper—Wheeler.
Scorekeepers—Stewart and Andrus.
Referee—Todda Forbes (Texas A. & M.)

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THE BELLIGERENT CHILI BEAN

Tex Rickard, wholesaler in tin ears and busted beaks, threatens to import one Quentin Romero Rojas, self-confessed heavyweight champion of Chile and exhibit him before the pop-eyed gaze of American yokels.

Mr. Q. R. Rojas is said to have won the heavyweight championship of Chile by kicking a 14-year-old Maltese kitten on the whiskers, scoring what practically amounted to a clean knockout. Mr. Rojas is not only the best heavyweight champion ever produced in Chile, but the worst one. Chile has never been afflicted with any kind of heavyweight champion before, and is thriving nobly to hide her shame.

Whether Rickard will bring Mr. Rojas over now or wait until late summer, when the import duty on cheese, hams and other perishable vegetables is attractively reduced, is a detail that remains to be worked out.

Mr. Rojas will be tossed into the ring with the Battling Tomatoes and the Fighting Bolognas of the Great Stuffed Tribe and will proceed to build up a reputation as a European super man, wilder than Herrin Ill., and tougher than a gold-toothed soubrette.

Some bright young writer will pick out a picturesque handle for him, like "The Hot Pepper of the Chile Bowl," and the docile Dempsey will be persuaded to step forward and enact the leading role in another edition of "The Battle of the Simpery."

Interment will be private and owing to the native abhorrence of Chileans to slavish manifestations of grief, flowers will kindly be omitted.

Mr. Rojas probably will last about as long against a third-rate American heavyweight as a good man's reputation in a Washington oil probe, but this won't keep the customers away. They are gluttons for punishment and their favorite dish is European hoakum, served hot and often.

In Barnum's day the birth rate was one a minute. By the introduction of efficiency methods and daylight saving time, Rickard has doubled the output.

Bill Lange came over from Australia with a heavy coat of lurid press agent paint and was knocked into a state of enduring coma by a dock hand. Bomb Wells wore out a full set of hand-engraved chins bouncing around on sundry American canvas mats. Carpentier would have gone over bigger as a Shubert chorus man. Firpo gave the fans a momentary thrill and then curled up with an apologetic quiver. Mr. Rojas is not expected to violate any of these old world customs. ... will now lead the Turn... Quartet in that sentimental ditty dedicated to the Boxing Boobs of America, entitled, "And the best of it is, they like it, they like it!"

ST. JOE DUE TO ARRIVE MONDAY

Pitchers and Catchers Lead Ball Squad Here

Monday, March 3rd, St. Joe's pitchers and catchers will land in Central hotel, Port Arthur, Texas, ready for spring training at Cosmopolitan park.

Monday, March 10, all fielders and utility men will have reported, and the Saints, runners-up in the Western League, in 1923, will start their training off with a bang preparatory to another year in professional baseball which Joe Mothes, their new mentor, intends to make successful.

On March 15 and 16, the team will play two exhibition games here, both of which will be conducted to derive funds to pay for the club's training here. It costs just exactly $2,500 for the Saints to train 30 days in Port Arthur, and it's up to Port Arthur to make their initial visit to this city a successful venture.

With the park being put in excellent condition for baseball games, and with the prospects of some good exhibitions during their stay here, Port Arthur should be loyal to the first professional ball nine that ever did homage to this port.

Two thousand, five hundred tickets, admitting the purchasers to either of the two exhibitions, have already gone on sale with Guy B. Hooker as general sales manager for the entire city. Hooker has named several local young men to have charge of the districts into which the city has been divided, and indications are this morning that the 2,500 ducats will be sold out before the dates roll round.

Joe Mathes is enjoying his initial year with the Saints. He is an old Texas Leaguer; there are other well-known ball players on the Saints roster, too, and fans who witness the games here will be sure to get their money's worth.

WANTS PURCHASE CASH

NEW YORK, March 1.—Earle Combs, Louisville outfielder, who refused to sign a Yankee contract, is satisfied with the terms offered him by the club but is holding out for a part of the purchase price, according to Ed Barrow, business manager of the club.

MAID WINS LAURELS

NEW YORK, March 1.—Miss Helen Wainright, 17-year-old New York girl, won the Metropolitan senior aquatic championship by a margin of a quarter of a point over her team mate, Miss Aileen Riggen.

EVERS LEADS OFF

CHICAGO, March 1.—Johnny Evers, filling in for Frank Chance as pilot of the White Sox, led a handful of players today on the annual pilgrimage to the club's Florida training quarters.

FEVER SCARCE

PASO ROBLES, Cal. March 1.—Alarm spread through the Pirates training quarters today when the report that Jewellens, one of the players, may have scarlet fever. He is in an isolation ward of the hospital.

ROY MAKES HIT

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., March 1.—Luther Roy, Indian recruit from Ootlewah, Tenn., made a good impression with Coach Jack McCallister in the tribe's first ball toss here yesterday.

DRIVING TIGERS

AUGUSTA, Ga., March 1.—Manager Ty Cobb drove his Tigers through another gruelling drill lasting three hours and leaving the players lame and weary.

VIC WILL BE HARD

CATALINA ISLAND, Calif., March 1.—Vic Aldrich, annual holdout on the Cub roster, will be hard and fast when he arrives to make up for the time he has lost while dickering for more salary.

SHERDELL ARRIVES

BRADENTOWN, Fla., March 1.—William Sherdell, southpaw pitcher, arrived at the St. Louis Cardinals camp along with good weather.

STONE HURTS HAND

NEW YORK, March 1.—A. D. Stone, Philadelphia light-heavyweight, injured his left hand in his bout Thursday night with Dave McGill and will be unable to meet Gene Tunney in a championship bout scheduled for March 30.

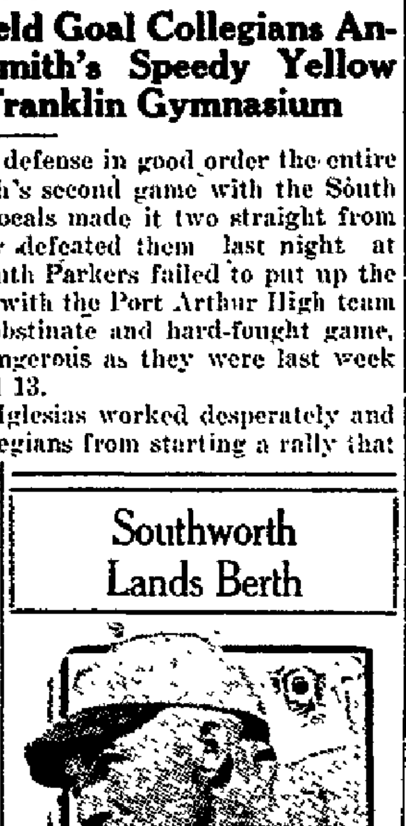
SUES TEX RICKARD

NEW YORK, March 1.—Tom O'Rourke, veteran fight manager who has been waging a fight against Tex Rickard in Albany, announced that he had instituted a $50,000 libel suit against Rickard and the Star Publishing company.

GANS WINS VERDICT

FARGO, N. D., March 1.—Dago Gans won a decision over Battling Krause in a fast 10 round match here.

Southworth Lands Berth



BILL SOUTHWORTH

The center field problem which has caused Manager McGraw of the New York Giants much worry for several years has finally been solved by the addition of Billy Southworth of the Boston Braves.

"Southworth will be the regular centerfielder of the Giants," says McGraw. "He has no opposition for the job and will not alternate with any other player simply because he is a left-handed batsman."

That seems to settle it. Last season Jimmy O'Connell, Casey Stengel and Bill Cunningham operated in center field for the Giants.

Southworth has a bad knee that may trouble him if put to too severe a test. Such a happening would cause McGraw to change his plans, but he is fairly well fortified.

BILLY EVANS SAYS

If Frank Chance, who is ill on the coast, does not regain his health within the next month or so who will manage the White Sox in his stead? There has been so much talk about elevating Eddie Collins to a managerial position in recent years that the peerless second baseman immediately comes to mind in connection with the Chicago vacancy. It is not likely, however, that the managerial reins will be handed over to Collins in the event Chance is unable to take up the burden. It is more likely the assignment will go to Johnny Evers, now on the Comiskey pay roll in the capacity of assistant manager.

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Evers has already had a fling at the directing end of the game and it is believed he would welcome another chance if the opportunity presented itself.

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"The Crab," as Evers was known in the old days, due to his fondness for contentions, was twice manager of the Cubs, historic rivals of the White Sox in Chicago. By a strange coincidence Evers replaced Chance as manager of the Cubs back in 1913 after the latter had been summarily disposed by Charles Webb Murphy, a move which later led to Murphy's retirement from baseball, by the way. Evers lasted one season and then joined the Boston Braves as captain and second baseman. That year the Braves surprised the baseball world by coming from nowhere in July to win the National League pennant, and then the world's championship, beating the Athletics in four straight games.

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They called George Stallings, Braves' manager, the Miracle Man that year, but Evers' fire and enthusiasm was greatly responsible for the startling accomplishment.

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Incidentally, 1914, was Evers' last big year in baseball, both from an artistic and a monetary viewpoint. What with his salary and bonus and series takeoff his earnings for 1914 must have easily totaled $40,000. Evers began to slump and was finally cast adrift, joining Pat Moran, then leader of the Phillies, as coach. When the war broke out Evers went to France as a K. of C. secretary. After the war he did odd jobs of coaching with the Red Sox and the Giants, and later on was given another chance as manager of the Cubs. Things did not go right and he departed after two months' work, drawing his full season's salary.

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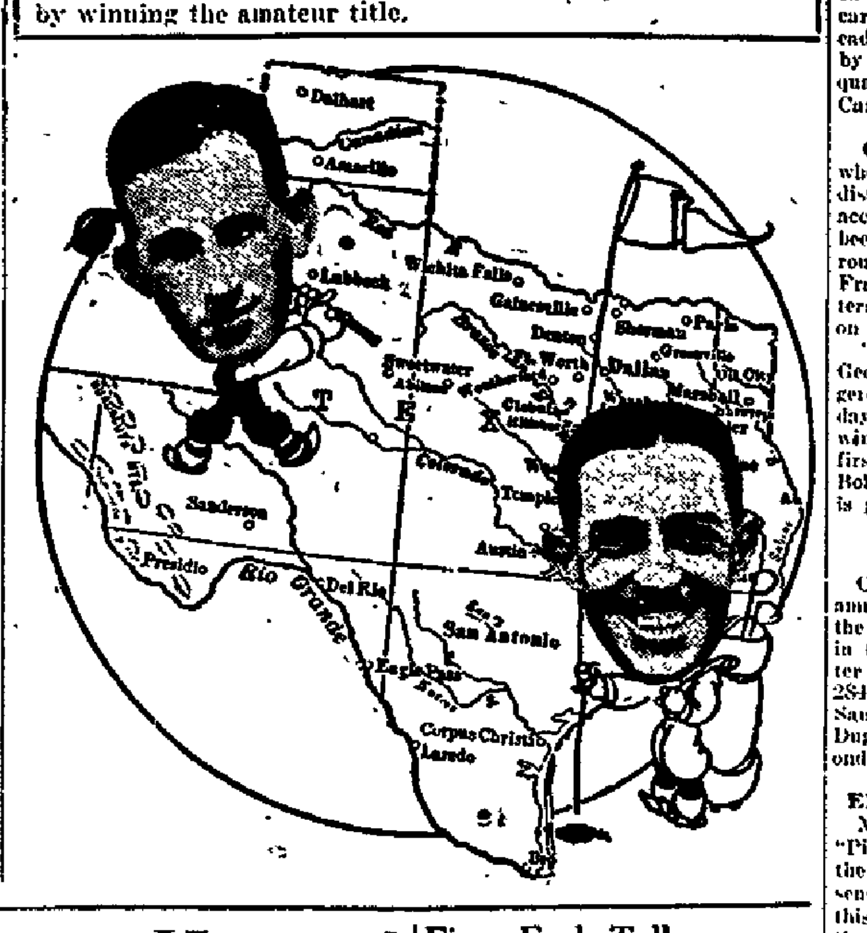
Evers was out of baseball entirely last year. He has a head full of baseball and is as shrewd as any manager now in the game. This may be his year to make good as a team pilot.

OUIMET PICKS THIS YOUNG TEXAN AS NEW GOLF STAR

FRANCIS OUIMET (right) is one player who thinks Young Ossie Carlton (left) will soon put Texas on the golf map by winning the amateur title.



BOSTON, March 1.—According to as good an authority as Francis Ouimet the best-looking young golfer to cross his vision since Bobby Jones and Jess Sweetser burst on the golfing horizon is Ossie Carlton of Houston, Texas.

Carlton, just turned 20, was the sensation of Texas golf last year and according to Ouimet is going to start a lot of gray hairs on the heads of the recognized stars before many new calendars are turned off the presses.

For several years Carlton was just an 85-90 player; good one day, terrible the next. Then he buckled down to work and began to dress up his game. After long weeks of practice he polished his play to the point where he thought it was good enough to take out in company and bought a ticket from Houston to Galveston, where the Texas amateur was to be played.

Bags Pair of 68's

In his first practice round over the Galveston course he shot a 68. Then on the first qualifying round he came back with the same score and won the medalist honors. He upset the idea that a medalist is out of the running for the championship by wading through the field like it was chaff, and lugged the Texas mug back home.

Two weeks previous to the Texas amateur he went to the finals of the midwinter championship at Houston before he was eliminated by Jack Tarrant, another Texan, whom Ouimet declares must be watched with a critical eye.

Carlton's big setback in 1923 occurred at Ft. Worth, where in the Rivercrest tournament he was matched with an unheard-of player who carried only four clubs and thought caddies were something employed only by dudes. This player swung his quartet of clubs so amazingly well that Carlton only kept the score.

Hits Long Ball

Carlton is a powerful youngster who hits the ball off the tee for long distances. His iron play is crisp and accurate but his putting always has been careless. He played several rounds with Ouimet this winter and Francis, always eager to help youngsters, gave him some valuable advice on putting.

"Carlton," declares Ouimet, "and George Von Elm are the most dangerous youngsters in amateur golf today. Of course, Carlton hardly will win a national championship the first year out for few can duplicate Bob Gardner's feat of 1909, but he is going to get there eventually."

GOLDAMMER'S LEAD

CHICAGO, March 1.—The Goldammer Flitch company team occupies the top berth in the five man event in the American bowling congress after crashing the pins for a mark of 2845-22 pins over the former leaders Samuelson number 5. The Shorty Dugout five, of Madison, took second honors with 2830.

EXPECTS TRAYNOR TO STAR

Manager Bill McKeechnie says "Pie" Traynor, star third sacker of the Pittsburg club, should be the sensation of the National League this year. He's easily the best at the position in the National League, if not the majors, says McKeechnie.

GOLF BODIES TO MERGE

It is predicted in official circles that a general consolidation of golf associations will be effected early the coming summer. The merger will bring all the American associations, including the U. S. G. A., which is the parent body, and the Western, which is next ranking in power, together under one head.

DOWNEY WOULD TEST HIM

It's time they stopped feeding Paul Berlenbach setups. The reformed wrestler scored his 24th consecutive knockout the other night against Pat Walsh, a ham-and-egger. Bryan Downey, a tough, seasoned veteran, would give Berlenbach a real test. While Downey is no wonder, he is a good trial horse.

DEEP, DARK MYSTERY

Every time the New York Yankees talk trade with a club the report is circulated that the Yanks are willing to part with Pitcher Waite Hoyt. This is rather unusual since Hoyt is the youngest member of the staff and has a world of stuff. Possibly it's because of his disposition.

MUGS DUE TODAY

SARASOTA, Fla., March 1.—Manager McGraw is expected to arrive tonight to take charge of the Giants training here.

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Jack Dempsey in Hospital While Wild Rumors Spread.

NEW YORK, March 1.—Jack Dempsey is knocked off his feet for the first time since Firpo put him through the ropes. And precautions taken by attendants to close up all news sources caused reports today that the champion's future was endangered as a result of complications which followed a recent operation.

"Mr. Dempsey is resting easily and his condition satisfactory," was all that hospital attendants would say this morning. The same reports have been issued from the hospital since Dempsey went on the table for what was said to have been a minor operation.

It was explained "that Mr. Dempsey is a private patient and we are not at liberty to discuss details about private cases."

Before going to the hospital Dempsey said that he had been bothered for sometime with a fistula and that he had been advised that an operation would be necessary to get permanent relief.

Dempsey has not been permitted to see any visitors since he came from the operating room and Jack Kearns, his manager, has not been available since then.

It was intimated at the hospital, however, that Dempsey was not permitted to see friends not because he had suffered a relapse from complications, but for the purpose of preventing him from having any such relapse.

Reports that the real cause for the operation has been disguised and that the champion's incapacity was more serious than had been announced were in general circulation here today.

Stories that Dempsey might have to retire from the ring were considered as exaggerated, however.

Tex Improves Arena

NEW YORK, March 1.—Tex Rickard announced that he was preparing to spend $50,000 for the improvement of his wooden arena in Jersey City. Rickard practically admitted that he was planning to stage the Dempsey-Gibbons, a Dempsey-Firpo and a Walker-Leonard bout there this summer.

KIPKE INJURES LEG

ANN ARBOR, Mich., March 1.—Harry Kipke, All-American football halfback and captain of the University of Michigan basketball team, may be out of the game for several weeks, due to an injury to his leg sustained in a recent game against Purdue.

Firpo Ends Talk of $1,000,000 Fight

NEW YORK, March 1.—Negotiations with the million dollar syndicate that has been trying to arrange a Firpo-Wills heavyweight fight have been called off by Firpo, according to a cable received by his New York business agent. Tex Rickard announced he was willing to promote the bout.

GOOD RECORD AS PLAYER

Jim Delahanty, former big leaguer who is to umpire in the American Association next year, grades himself that he was put out of only four games during his ten-year stay in the majors.

PLAY IN BALTIMORE

ANNAPOLIS, Md., March 1.—The annual army-navy football game will be played in Baltimore next November 29, Admiral Henry Wilson, commandant at the Navy Academy announced this morning.

SISLER AT FIRST

MOBILE, Ala., March 1.—Manager Walter Sisler was at first base for the Browns yesterday.

NATIONALS REDUCE

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., March 1.—Every member of the National squad is down to playing weight, Manager Harris announced.

ATHLETICS TO CAMP

PHILADELPHIA, March 1.—The Athletics are en route to Montgomery, Ala., to begin training.

CLOUDS HALT PLAY

LEESBURG, Fla., March 1.—Cold winds and dark clouds interferred with the fifth day of training for the Phillies.

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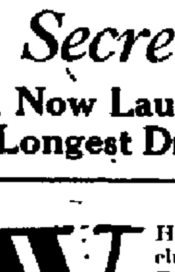
is relieved quickly and permanently with Imperial Eczema Remedy. All druggists are authorized to refund your money if it fails.—Adv.

Secret Batting Order

A Now Laughable Incident That Ruined the Longest Drive Harry Heilmann Ever Made

BY BILLY EVANS



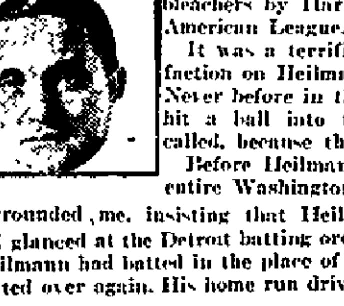
WHAT was a decidedly funny incident for the Washington club, several years ago was a near tragedy for the Detroit Tygers.

The play featured the longest hit ever made on the Washington baseball park, a drive into the far left field bleachers by Harry Heilmann, champion batsman of the American League.

It was a terrific drive, and there was a smile of satisfaction on Heilmann's face as he jogged around the bases. Never before in the history of the park had a batter ever hit a ball into the "jury box," as the bleachers were called, because the customers there were very critical.

Before Heilmann had reached the plate, it seemed the entire Washington Club, including all the substitutes, had surrounded me, insisting that Heilmann had batted out of order.

I glanced at the Detroit batting order and discovered that such was the case. Heilmann had batted in the place of Veach. I called Veach out and Heilmann batted over again. His home run drive had been wasted.



The mixup came about in this way: With a left hander working, it had been customary all that season to move Veach to third place in the batting order and have Heilmann in the clean-up position. Against right-handers Heilmann batted third and Veach fourth. The players were always informed of the change.

A left hander was working for Washington. Not being notified of the usual shift, the Detroit players followed the regular order, Heilmann batting third. In giving the batting order to me, no mention was made of a change and the printed lineup had Veach third and Heilmann fourth.

Of course there was nothing to do but call out the proper batsman when Washington appealed to me for a decision, thereby wiping out the home run.

Heilmann has since laughed over the incident when discussing it with me, but at the time he could have committed murder at the thought of the home run going to waste.

PITCHING STAR SEEKING SQU...

Walter Johnson Would B... Coast League Club

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., March 1.—Walter Johnson, veteran pitcher of the Washington Senators, will retire this spring, in case he is successful in negotiations for the purchase of Pacific Coast League club. Johnson declined to reveal the name of the club, declaring that "it wouldn't be fair to the present owner."

"My wife and children are on the coast, and I want to be with them from now on," Johnson said. "The kids are getting old enough to need father's attention."

Johnson announced that he would leave here on March 5, to join the Senators in training quarters at Tampa, Fla. He expects to complete the deal for a West Coast Ball Club before the season opens, and will take the mound again, he sas.

RECALLING TWO OF THE DANE'S GREAT BATTLES

Two of the greatest lightweight battles in the history of modern boxing were the Gans-Nelson clash in 1906 and the Nelson-Wolgast affair in 1910. In each case Nelson was the loser. Gans won on a foul after 42 hectic rounds and Wolgast tripped the Durable Dane in the fortieth session. Nelson's seconds tossing up the sponge in token of defeat. Wolgast's victory gave him the championship. He literally whipped the Battler at his own game, staging a remarkable comeback after being all but out in the twenty-third round. The defeat ended the career of Nelson as a top notcher.

HOLDOUT SIGNS

CLEARWATER, Fla., March 1.—One more holdout was removed from the list of the Brooklyn Robins when it was announced that Bernie Ne... reserve outfielder, had accepted terms.

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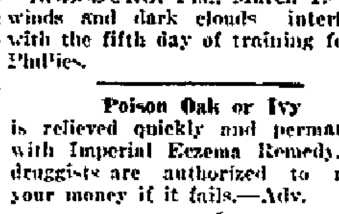

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